

# Memorandum W Describing Ser

Authenticated by h

Saturday  
June 1950

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These are my approximate statements  
to the FBI.

I stated that I met Goldman  
A.M. at my place. They told me  
that I had to leave to come in  
later because didn't have it ready.  
I didn't remember this but latter,  
at a later statement when he was  
back again I told them that I  
gave him \$10, envelope only, no cash  
and expecting payment and then he  
gave me an envelope later I found  
that it contained \$500.

I told them that on a visit  
to a man Mr. 1944 my wife asked  
me if I would give information  
and to tell the F.B.I. that she  
had nothing this info from my own  
and when she was in touch with me  
she was doing the business  
and all of us were having a good time.

# Memorandum Written by DAVID GREEN Describing Series of Statements to the

Authenticated by handwriting expert Elizabeth McCarthy of Boston

Today  
June 1950

DAVID GREEN

statement. He didn't say his name.  
I then mentioned connecting with  
an man who didn't didn't know  
arranged by phone. I established  
the approximate meeting place about  
one or two days later. The place  
was a car and a lake surrounded  
by tall trees. The car was parked  
somewhere above a road at an angle  
more. I talked to the man  
but I could recall very little  
about what we spoke. It might be that he went out  
to drink about half a pint about  
H. E. Lewis is interested in experiments  
data. Trials to determine effects on the  
chemicals  
I made a general statement  
my age etc. you know the  
usual things  
sometimes less on other occasions.

# DAVID GREENGLASS

## Statements to the FBI

Elizabeth McCarthy of Boston

DJ

answering and  
didn't know  
what he had said  
at the time  
he was asked  
about the place  
he found his  
wife in.  
He said he  
had been  
drinking and  
had been  
talking about  
his experiments  
and what he  
had done  
and he didn't  
know the  
exact words.

With regards

He was strongly identified  
as tall as a tree at mid height  
and had a bit of hair on his head.  
He was wearing a dark suit.  
Also I definitely  
placed my wife out of the room  
at the time of [redacted] arrest.

Also I didn't know who was  
told them.

He also made a pencil sketch of  
what he said. He said get a copy of an  
operative but this will tell you  
I can definitely say the information  
he gave you is not true.  
He didn't know or the statement

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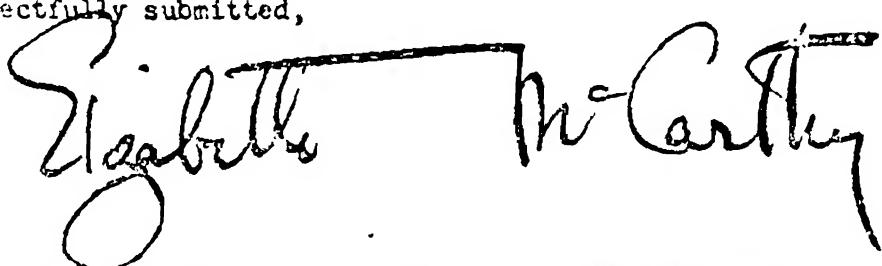
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It is my opinion that David Greenglass, who wrote on the above documents, also wrote the three-page statement described supra.

While I do not have in the standard writing all of the letters appearing in the three pages of this statement, in the letters I do have there are such unique and remarkable similarities between questioned and standard writing in all of the important, underlying unconscious writing characteristics that I can come to no other conclusion than that they were written by one and the same person. These are the elements in one's hand of which he is not aware, and which he cannot therefore hide, alter or disguise. They include type of motion; finger, wrist and arm movement; rhythm, balance and hand coordination; condition of writing line; pressure; vertical and base-line angulation; trouble spots; spacing; relative proportions between small, tall and capital letters; initial, connecting and terminal strokes; as well as individualistic formation habits in key letters.

Respectfully submitted,

M/BHS

Elizabeth McCarthy

## ICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC  
FROM : SA J. J. MURPHY

DATE: June 12, 1953

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE  
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(xx) CSMY 425, of known reliability, made available to the New York Office information concerning the above-captioned subject, obtained from 35 E. 12th St., N.Y.C. This building is occupied by the following organizations, which are all under the control of the Communist Party: Publishers News Press, Inc. ("Worker" and "Daily Worker"); Morning Freiheit Association ("Morning Freiheit" and "Jewish Life"); Workers' Bookshop; F & D Printing Co.; U.S. Birth Control Federation. Prior to September, 1951, the National and Brooklyn County offices of the Communist Party also occupied these premises.

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NEW APPEALS FROM EUROPE

AND ASIA URGE CLEMENCY

New York, N.Y., March 13, 1953 --- A clemency petition addressed to the U.S. government is being signed by hundreds of people in Trieste, urging that the Rosenbergs be returned to their two small boys.

In Paris, the nationally prominent attorney Paul Villard is circulating the Rosenberg's clemency petition among his colleagues, as Italian lawyers are also planning to do.

"People of all creeds and political opinions in France," Villard reports, "pray for the salvation of the two innocents, Julius and Ethel Rosenberg. Millions of people have their name and picture in their hearts."

At the memorial tablet erected in Genoa, Italy to murdered partisan fighters, a wreath has just been placed with a placard asking: "Let us give back the Rosenbergs to their sons."

The Democratic Women's Organization of Israel has petitioned the president to "commute the murderous death sentence and ... prevent the assassination of innocent people. We Jewish women regard this brutal sentence ... (as) injuring the honor of every honest person."

A number of outstanding French Catholics have appealed for clemency, including Father Martin Berger; Louis Martin Chauffier, co-manager of Figaro; Albert Beguin, executive editor of Esprit, and senators, deputies and professionals.

The Independent Labor Party of England adds "our voice to others and appeal (s) to the President of the U.S.A. that the Rosenbergs should be allowed to live."

In both East and West zones of Germany, attorneys, pastors, artists and trade unionists have joined in asking clemency. These include Stuttgart and Stockstadt victims of the Nazi Regime, 150 citizens of Muhlheim, all employees of an Oschersleben candy factory, the Hamburg Tenant's Association, the former Attorney-general of Ludwigshafen and many others.

Belgian senators and congressmen of many political beliefs have joined Henri Rolin, head of the senate, directors of hospitals and other public services, attorneys and journalists in urging President Eisenhower to grant the Rosenbergs clemency.

In Peking, Shen Chun-ju, Vice President of the International Association of Lawyers, stated: "I fully support the American people's struggle for ... the release of the innocent Rosenbergs." Dr. Mei Ju-ao, former judge of the Far East International Military Tribunal, termed the death sentence a "most brutal insult to human justice."

Lutheran, Congregationalist and ministers of other denominations held a public prayer meeting in Peking for the Rosenbergs, followed by an appeal from 18 Chinese Christian churches and societies, including YMCA's calling on U.S. Christians to work for clemency for the Rosenbergs.

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1010	6/14/53	WFO AIRTEL TO HQ/NY	1	1		
1011	6/14/53	HQ AIRTEL From WFO	2	2		
1012	6/14/53	HQ TELETYPE TO WFO	4	4		
1013	6/14/53	SAC MEMO TO SAC <sup>COPY</sup>	1	1		No Charge Dupe 1
1013A	6/14/53	" Original "	1	1		
1014	6/15/53	HQ AIRTEL From WFO	1	0		
1015	6/15/53	HQ AIRTEL From WFO	1	0		
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1021	6/15/53	Newark AIRTEL FROM HQ	1	D	
1022	6/15/53	HQ AIRTEL FROM WFO	1	1	
1022A	6/15/53	CD TELETYPE TO HQ, NY, NH	1	0	
1023	6/16/53	WFO (BLUE COPY) HQ TELETYPE FROM NY	1	1	
1024	6/16/53	HQ (Blue copy) TELETYPE FROM NY	1	0	
1025	6/16/53	HQ AIRTEL FROM WFO	2	0	
1026	6/16/53	NY AIRTEL FROM PH	1	1	
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1031	6/16/53	" " "	2	2	
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1035	6/16/53	" " "	2	2	
1036	6/16/53	" " "	2	2	
1037	6/16/53	" " "	2	2	
1038	6/16/53	" " "	1	1	
1038A	6/16/53	HQ AIRTEL FROM LA	1	1	
1038B	6/16/53	WFO AIRTEL FROM HQ	2	-	Ref'd to another govt agency

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1038C	6/16/53	Third Party let to HQ	1	1	
1039	6/17/53	PH TELETYPE TO WFO HQ	1	1	
1040	6/17/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	2	2	
1041	6/17/53	" "	3	3	
1042	6/17/53	" "	2	2	
1043	6/17/53	HQ AIRTEL FROM WFO	1	1	
1044	6/17/53	HQ AIRTEL FROM LA	1	1	
1045	6/17/53	HQ " " WFO	1	0	
1046	6/17/53	" " " WFO	1	1	
1047	6/17/53	" " " IP	1	1	
1048	6/17/53	<sup>HQ</sup> NY AIRTEL FROM PH	1	1	
1049	6/17/53	Newark Airtel to HQ	1	1	

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1050	6/17/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	10	10	
1051	6/17/53	" "	11	3	
1052	6/17/53	" "	11	2	
1053	6/17/53	PH LET TO NY	1	1	
1054	6/17/53	Third Party let to NY	1	1	
1055	6/18/53	NY TELETYPE TO HQ <i>BLUE COPY</i>	1	1	
1056	6/18/53	SAC, NY LET TO 3rd Party	1	1	
1057	6/18/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	1	1	
1058	6/18/53	" "	11	1	
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1062	6/18/53	WFO, HQ Airtel From PG	1	1	
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1064	6/18/53	" " "	1	1	
1065	6/18/53	" " "	3	3	
1066	6/18/53	" " " SL	1	1	
1067	6/18/53	" " "	1	1	
1068	6/18/53	Newark Airtel to HQ	2	2	
1069	6/18/53	Third Party letter to SAC, NY	1	1	
1070	6/19/53	Third Party letter from SAC, NY	1	1	
1071	6/19/53	HQ AIRTEL To WFO	4	4	
1072	6/19/53	" " PG	1	1	
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1074	6/19/53	HQ TELETYPE FROM NK	1	1	
1075	6/19/53	HQ AIRTEL TO WFO	2	2	
1076	6/19/53	" "	11	2	Refer to another govt agency
1076A	6/19/53	SAC LET TO THIRD PARTY	1	1	
1077	6/19/53	Third Party let to NY	1	1	
1078	6/20/53	WFO AIRTEL TO HQ	2	2	
1078A	6/20/53	NEWARK AIRTEL TO HQ	1	1	
1079	6/20/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	3	3	
1080	6/20/53	" "	11	3	3
1081	6/20/53	" "	11	2	2
1082	6/20/53	" "	11	2	2
1083	6/20/53	" "	11	1	1

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1083A	6/22/53	SAC LET TO THIRD PARTY	1	1	
1084	6/23/53	Ph TELETYPE TO HQ, NY	1	1	
1085	5/29/53	NY LET TO HQ	2	2	
1086	6/23/53	SA MEMO TO SAC	2	2	
1087		Misnumber Serial	—	—	
1088	6/24/53	Third Party let	1	1	
1089	6/23/53	Third Party let to SAC, NY	1	—	Refer to another gov't agency
1090	6/23/53	" "	1	1	
1091	6/23/53	Third Party let to SAC, NY	3	3	
1092	6/23/53	SAC Let to third party	1	1	
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WASHINGTON COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN ROSENBERG CASE, IS DASH CIV.

DALEK [REDACTED]

PERSONNEL GUIDANCE  
WORK  
UNIT

[REDACTED] PLANS MADE TO HAVE TWO ROSENBERG CHILDREN AND ROSENBERG'S MOTHER MAKE QUITE DRAMATIC APPEARANCE EXCERPT FROM LETTER AND TELEGRAMS ABOUT TWO OR TWO-THIRTY P.M., SUNDAY JUNE FOURTEEN. THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN FURNISHED SECRET SERVICE AND NYCT. P.D.

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6-13-53 2:30 P.M.

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URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE KODENBERG CASE, IS-  
DAYLET. [REDACTED] BALTIMORE POLICE, UNION ST. TUES., ADVISED

TODAY BALTIMORE R.R. POLICE INFORMED THEM ON CO. CH. B AND D  
TRAIN 26, WITH 145 PEOPLE LEAVING BALTO 8:22 AND  
JUNE 14 FOR WASHINGTON. OBSERVATION MADE TO DEPART WASHINGTON,  
B AND D TRAIN 7, 10:55 P.M. JUNE 14.

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DIRECTOR

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS - C ,  
AN INDIVIDUAL IDENTIFIED AS SALVATORE S. BAMBALIA HAS TODAY PICKETED  
THE INTERCONTINENTAL BANK BUILDING WHERE THE DALLAS OFFICE IS LOCATED  
CARRYING A PLACARD BEARING QUOTE FROM THE INNOCENT ROSENBERG FAMILY  
VICTIM FRAME UP BY FBI JAIL LYNCH MURDERERS HARRY T. MOORE AND FAMILY  
AND RAY BUTLER UNQUOTE. INDICES DALLAS OFFICE INFFECT A MATTER  
CAPTIONED UNSUB, HARRY T. MOORE, HARRIETT MOORE, VICTIMS (DECEASED),  
CR, IN WHICH MATTER DALLAS IS OFFICE OF ORIGIN. NO INDICES REFLECT  
THAT A RAY BUTLER, NEGRO, WAS SHOT AND KILLED BY DALLAS POLICE OFFICERS  
APRIL FOURTEEN, FIFTYONE. NO INDICATION CONNECTION WITH CP, BUT  
EVIDENTLY REFERENCE IS MADE TO THESE MATTERS IN PLACARD. LOCAL PRESS  
HAS TAKEN PICTURE AND HAS STORY. WRITER HAD NO COMMENT.

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cc-New York (AIR MAIL)

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6-14-53 5:45 PM

DIRECTOR AND SAC NEW YORK (FM)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS-C. DAYLIT.  
REMYTEL 3:30 P.M. THIS DATE. FOLLOWING BRINGING INSTANT MATTER UP TO  
DATE AS OF 5:45 P.M. AT 3:30 P.M. SA OF WFO OBSERVED PICKET LINE EXPANDED  
TO SURROUND TREASURY BUILDING AND THREE COUNTER TICKETS AT PENNSYLVANIA  
AND WEST EXECUTIVE DRIVE. AT 3:15 P.M. MRS. SOPHIE ROSENBERG AND TWO  
ROSENBERG CHILDREN WERE BLESSED BY A RABBI, IDENTITY UNKNOWN, WHO ALSO  
BLESSED A LITTER CARRIED BY CHILDREN. THIS CEREMONY TOOK PLACE IN FRONT  
OF WHITE HOUSE AFTER WHICH THEY PROCEEDED TO WEST GATE AND PRESENTED LETTER  
TO INSPECTOR HOBART FFANCES OF WHITE HOUSE POLICE WHO ACCEPTED SAME FOR  
DELIVERY TO PRESIDENT. REVERSE SIDE OF ENVELOPE CONTAINED NAME OF MICHAEL  
ROSENBERG. PROCESSION FOR PRESENTATION OF LETTER ACCOMPANIED BY MR. DAVE  
ALMAN. WHITE HOUSE POLICE ESTIMATE OF SIZE OF DEMONSTRATION AT APPROXIMATELY  
3:00 P.M. WAS CLOSE TO FOUR THOUSAND. AN OFFICIAL COUNT TAKEN BY WHITE HOUSE  
POLICE RESULTED IN FOLLOWING TOTAL. 6832 DEMONSTRATORS BROKEN DOWN AS  
FOLLOWS: 4378 AROUND TREASURY BUILDING. 804 AROUND WHITE HOUSE. 1650  
AROUND OLD STATE DEPARTMENT BUILDING. DURING DEMONSTRATION AT 9TH AND HALL  
NORTHWEST, DAVE ALMAN ADDRESSED TIRING ESTIMATED AS SAME SIZE AS THAT AT WHITE  
HOUSE. HE STATED PRESIDENT EISENHOWER IS RETURNING D.C. 7 P.M. TODAY AND  
REQUESTED ALL WHO DID NOT TRAVEL BY TRAIN TO STAY OVER AND INCREASE WHITE HOUSE  
VIGIL IN ORDER TO IMPRESS PRESIDENT. WHITE HOUSE ITING ADVISED OF THIS BY WFO.  
BUREAU HAS ALSO BEEN TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED OF SAME. OBSERVATIONS AND LIAISON  
CONTINUING.

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MANUFACTURER

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE MURKIN CASE, L.S.C. BAILEY.

MEET AT 5:30 P.M. AND DISMANTLE 5:45 P.M. THIS SATURDAY [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TELEPHONICALLY REPORTED TO YOU DETAILS OF  
PROTESTATION HELD YESTERDAY AND WILL AS WELL AS PICKETING BY CLEVELAND GROUP AT  
OLD STATE DEPARTMENT BUILDING ADJOINING MARSH HOUSE. STATED THAT DATE ALLEGEDLY  
ACTED AS CHAIRMAN HALL PROTESTATION TOLD GROUP THAT ESTIMATE BY INTERNATIONAL  
SERVICES SERVICE WAS THAT 13,000 HAD PARTICIPATED THIS DATE. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] TURNED OVER TO PARTICIPATE IN 24 HOUR MARCH

ROSE VIGIL. [REDACTED]

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AND FIELD OFFICES

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~~NOTIFYING BIRMINGHAM HILLS~~

ODD FELLOWS HALL D.C. RICHARD DUG CONTINUED VIGIL WHITE HOUSE.

PARTICIPATED FOLLOWING OUT-OF-TOWNERS AMONG LEADERSHIP WHITE HOUSE AREA  
THIS DATE. MARYLE SCOTT AND DAUGHTER SIMONE OF NEW YORK CITY,

~~ACCORDING THIS~~

13d

INFORMANT VIGIL AT WHITE HOUSE WILL CONTINUE ALL DAY CLOCK AND KNOXWOOD  
WILL BE HELD 8:00 P.M. THIS DATE ODD FELLOWS HALL. FOLLOWING OBSERVATIONS  
MADE BY SA OF WFO. HALL DEMONSTRATION KICKED OFF APPROXIMATELY 5:25 P.M. TWO  
TRAILERS DEPARTED UNION STATION FOR JEANETTE CITY, NEW JERSEY, 6:40 AND 6:55

P.M. AT 7:15 P.M. 135 PERSONS PICKETED IN FRONT WHITE HOUSE. ALSO  
THREE COUNTER PICKETS. FOLLOWING IDENTITY OF SPEAKERS AND DESCRIPTION  
OF EVENTS AT HALL DEMONSTRATION COMPILED FROM OBSERVATIONS

SA OF WFO. REVEREND ERGELS WILLIAMS, RUGGED CROSS CHURCH,  
NEW YORK CITY; RIVERHEAD ANDS MARY, BOSTON; MARSHALL MCGEE, ALBANY;

BARRY ABRAMAN CINCINNATI, CINCINNATI, AND MARINA SCHLAMER. SCROLL DOWN

SEVERAL SONGS INCLUDING NATIONAL ANTHEM. CINCINNATI IS REPORTED ACCUSED

OF KILLED OF GUILTY AND CLAIMED BOAIDERS AS INNOCENT. SOPHIE ROSENBERG SPOKES  
MAINLY CLAIMING SON DREW INNOCENT. MICHAEL ROSENBERG PRESENTED ON PLATTORNE.  
OTHER ROSENBERG CHILD PRESENT BUT NOT BROUGHT UP TO PLATTORNE. DEMONSTRATION  
AT WHITE HOUSE RECEIVES CONSIDERABLE MOVIE CAMERA AND NEWS COVERAGE INCLUDED

IV.

~~ARRIVED IN CAR WITH~~

SOPHIE ROSENBERG AND TWO ASSISTING CHILDREN FOR CEREMONY IN FRONT WHITE HOUSE

8:15 P.M.

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS DASH C.

DAYLET. FOLLOWING INFO FURNISHED BY [REDACTED]

REL SUPPOSED  
CAPTIONED  
UNIT

COMMITTEE SUPERVISED EXTENSIVE LEAFLET DISTRIBUTION AFTERNOON JUNE THIR-

TEEN LAST IN AT LEAST TWO DIFFERENT LOCATIONS D. C. SOME D. C.

PEOPLE PARTICIPATED HOWEVER MOST FROM OUT OF TOWN INCLUDING ONE

SARAH LICHTENSTEIN, PHONETIC, WHO STATED SHE WAS FROM NEW YORK AND

HAS BEEN IN D. C. THREE TIMES PAST WEEK LOBBYING BEHALF COMMITTEE.

EVIDENCE SOME FRICTION LOCAL LEADERS BECAUSE NEW YORK HEADQUARTERS

HAS TAKEN COMPLETE CHARGE IN D. C. [REDACTED]

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Mr. DeLoach  
N.Y.C.T.  
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[REDACTED] LEARNED MRS. SOPHIE ROSENBERG  
DUE IN D. C. INSTANT DATE AND HELEN SOBELL ALREADY HERE. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] WASHINGTON TERMINAL POLICE ADVISED A. M. THIS DATE FOUR CARS  
BEING ADDED AT PHILADELPHIA TO ONE OF TWO TRAINS ORIGINATING JERSEY  
CITY, NEW JERSEY, AND CARRYING ADHERENTS COMMITTEE. TOTAL OF THIRTY  
CARS LEFT PHILADELPHIA CROWDED. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] REPORTED FIRST TRAIN ARRIVED AT UNION STATION TWELVE  
THIRTY SEVEN P. M. WITH SIX NINE THREE ABOARD. PASSENGERS MARCHED TO  
BUSES FOR TRIP TO WHITE HOUSE LED BY MRS. SOPHIE ROSENBERG. AT COMPLETION  
LARGE DEMONSTRATIONS THIS DATE A SMALL VIGIL OF NOT OVER FIFTY PERSONS

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WILL CONTINUE ON A TWENTYFOUR HOUR BASIS AT WHITE HOUSE ACCORDING TO AARON SCHNEIDER IN CHARGE OF TRANSPORTATION FOR COMMITTEE, WHO GAVE THIS INFO TO METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL. PRINTED SCHEDULES TODAYS ACTIVITIES PASSED OUT. TWELVE FIFTY P. M. CLEMENCY TRAIN ARRIVES. ONE THIRTY FIVE P. M. GATHERING AT WHITE HOUSE. THREE TWENTY FIVE P. M. FIVE MINUTE CLEMENCY CEREMONY AT WHITE HOUSE. THREE THIRTY P. M. ALL CLEMENCY SUPPORTERS EXCEPT GROUP REMAINING ON WHITE HOUSE VIGIL TO WALK TO NINTH AND CONSTITUTION NORTHWEST FOR PRAYER MEETING. FOUR P. M. CLEMENCY PRAYEER MEETING BEGINS. FOUR FORTY FIVE P. M. ENDS. SIX PM RETURNING CLEMENCY TRAIN LEAVES UNION STATION. BUS SERVICE TO BE PROVIDED FROM LIBERTY STREET FERRY NEW JERSEY TO COLUMBUS CIRCLE NEW YORK AND COURT STREET BROOKLYN.

AT ONE FORTY P. M. [REDACTED] ADVISED SECOND TRAIN ARRIVED TWELVE THREE P. M. WITH ONE TWO FOUR SIX ABOARD. THEY PROCEEDING TO WHITE HOUSE BY BUS AND TAXI. OBSERVATION BY WFO AGENT REVEALS PICKETING AT WHITE HOUSE COMMENCED SHORTLY AFTER ONE P. M. AT TWO FORTY FIVE P. M. APPROXIMATELY TWO THOUSAND IN PICKET LINE ON FOLLOWING STREETS. EAST SIDE OF EAST EXECUTIVE DRIVE, SOUTH SIDE OF PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE IN FRONT WHITE HOUSE, IN FRONT OF OLD STATE DEPARTMENT, AND ON EAST SIDE SEVEN-

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TEENTH STREET FROM PENNSYLVANIA TO NEW YORK AVENUES. MANY PLACARDS BEING CARRIED CLAIMING NEW EVIDENCE, EXISTENCE OF DOUBTS, AND QUOTES OF PROMINENT PEOPLE. NO LITERATURE BEING DISTRIBUTED. ABOVE RESUME ACTIVITIES THIS DIVISION TO DATE. OBSERVATIONS AND LIAISON CONTINUING. SHORTLY AFTER THREE [REDACTED] SECRET SERVICE AGENT, FURNISHED FOLLOWING INFORMATION HE HAD RECEIVED FROM NEWS CAMERA MEN AT WHITE HOUSE. AT THREE TWENTY FIVE P. M. TWO ROSENBERG CHILDREN AND JULIUS-S MOTHER, SOPHIE ROSENBERG ARE TO PRESENT THEMSELVES AT GATE OF WHITE HOUSE FOR DELIVERY OF A LETTER ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT EISENHOWER. CLEVELAND BEING FURNISHED COPY INSTANT TELETYPE BY REGISTERED MAIL.

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6/14/53

SA REX I. SHRODER, (100-107111)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
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3:45 PM

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE.

IS DASH 6. DAYLET.

[REDACTED] THEY ARE CALLING FOR A MASS LOBBY IN  
D. C. THURSDAY NEXT FOR TWO REASONS. ONE, TO BUILD LARGEST  
POSSIBLE PICKET LINE IN FRONT WHITE HOUSE. TWO, TO CALL  
ON THEIR CONGRESSMEN. THEY ARE CALLING ON EVERYONE WHO  
POSSIBLY CAN TO COME TO D. C. JUNE SIXTEEN AND SEVENTEEN  
NEXT. IT WILL BE A QUOTE MUST UNQUOTE FOR EVERYONE TO BE  
IN MASS PICKET LINE THURSDAY NEXT UP TO TIME OF EXECUTION.

SECRET SERVICE, METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT AND D. C.  
PARK POLICE BEING ADVISED PORTIONS ABOVE. ALL OFFICES  
RECEIVING COPIES INSTANT AIR TEL REQUESTED TO EXPEDITIOUSLY  
FURNISH WFO ANY INFO CONCERNING DELEGATIONS FROM ITS DIVISIONS.

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J. A. Horning [Signature]

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INCLUDING ALL DETAILS SUCH AS MODE OF TRANSPORTATION,  
TIME OF ARRIVAL, ETC. ALSO IDENTITIES OF INFORMANTS  
YOUR DIVISIONS WHO WILL BE IN D. C., INCLUDING NAMES THEY  
WILL USE IN CONTACTING WFO WHICH CONTACTS ARE DESIRED  
WHENEVER SECURITY PERMITS SO AS TO KEEP WFO CURRENTLY  
INFORMED OF ALL ACTIVITIES DURING DEMONSTRATION PERIOD.  
INSTRUCT INFORMANTS TO PHONE WFO AND ASK FOR DUTY AGENT.  
CLOSE LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED WITH OTHER INTERESTED  
AGENCIES AND BUREAU AND INTERESTED OFFICES WILL BE PROMPTLY  
ADVISED OF ALL ADDITIONAL DETAILS.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
NEW YORK, NEW YORK

JUNE 15, 1953

Transmit the following Teletype message to: BUREAU ....URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE FOR THE ROSENBERGS, IS-R. Daylet,  
AT SIX FIFTY TWO PM INSTANT DATE, SEVEN ONE NINE ASTERISK ADVISED  
THAT ONE LAURA WAS IN CONFERENCE WITH FLO WALLERSTEIN WHO SAID  
THERE IS NOTHING FROM CECILIA REGARDING THE COMMITTEE. FLO WAS  
IN WASHINGTON YESTERDAY. THE LAST WORD SHE GOT WAS TO SEND  
TELEGRAMS TO PRESIDENT EISENHOWER REQUESTING HIM TO MEET WITH  
UREY. FLO SAID THAT NO TELEPHONE CALLS ARE TO BE MADE TO THE  
WHITE HOUSE YET, THEREBY IMPLYING THAT THIS PROCEDURE WOULD  
COME AT A LATER DATE. AT SEVEN NAUGHT SIX PM INSTANT DATE,  
FLO TOLD CECILIA DEIBELE THAT JUSTICE DOUGLASS HAS AGREED TO HEAR  
SOMETHING ON THE ROSENBERG CASE TOMORROW.

BOARDMAN

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Special Agent in Charge

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DIRECTOR, FBI

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,  
IS-C, DALET. REMY DALET JUNE TEN LAST ADVISING 10,000 PEOPLE  
EXPECTED TO PICKET THE WHITE HOUSE AND U.S. DEPT OF JUSTICE  
BUILDING, WASH., D.C. ON JUNE FOURTEEN LAST. SECURITY INFORMATION  
[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT APPROXIMATELY 40 "PROGRESSIVES" [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] BETWEEN 11 AM AND 12 NOON ON JUNE FOURTEEN  
LAST IN A MOTORCADE, ARRIVING WASH., D.C. APPROXIMATELY 1 PM  
WHERE THEY PARTICIPATED IN A WHITE HOUSE DEMONSTRATION ON  
BEHALF OF THE ROSENBERGS. UPON ARRIVAL IN WASH., D.C., THE  
BALTO, DELEGATION JOINED IN THE HUCK THONG WHICH WERE MARCHING  
AROUND THE WHITE HOUSE AT THAT TIME. ACCORDING TO INFORMATION,  
THE BALTO CHAPTER OF CAPTIONED COMMITTEE HAS NOT AS YET  
ISSUED INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING ACTIVITY CONTEMPLATED IN BEHALF  
OF THE ROSENBERGS FROM THIS DATE UNTIL THEIR SCHEDULED EXECU-  
TION ON JUNE EIGHTEEN NEXT.

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PHL, PA 6/15/53

COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS, C. DAYLT. PH-82-8

ADVISED DUE TO INCLEMENT WEATHER PICNIC TO BE SPONSORED BY COMMITTEE ON

6/11/53 AT CAMP ALPINE POSTPONED ONE WEEK AND WILL PROBABLY REVERT TO  
CONTROL OF CRC. IN LATTER EVENT WILL BE IN HONOR OF STEVE NELSON, PITTSBURGH

SMITH ACT DEFENDANT. PERSONS ORIGINALLY PLANNING ATTENDENCE AT 6/11/53

PICNIC WERE URGED TO JOIN "CLEMENCY TRAIN" TO WASH., D.C.

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CHIEF CLERK  
PROPERTY UNIT

AIR TEL

6/15/53

FBI WASH FIELD

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DIRECTOR

URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG

CASE, IS DASH C. DAYLET. PICKETING OF WHITE HOUSE  
UNDER AUSPICES CAPTIONED COMMITTEE CONTINUES WITH NUMBERS  
OF PICKETS OBSERVED BY SAS WFO AS FOLLOWS. SEVEN THIRTY AM  
EIGHT PICKETS; NINE TEN AM FIFTEEN PICKETS; TEN AM TWENTY  
AND ONE COUNTER PICKET; TEN THIRTY AM TWENTY AND ONE COUNTER  
PICKET. WF SEVEN NINE SIX S ASTERISK FURNISHED INFORMATION  
EVENING JUNE THIRTEEN LAST INDICATING PLANS ARE FOR NUMEROUS  
DC RESIDENTS WHO HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED WITH CP AND COMMUNIST  
FRONTS TO ASSIST CAPTIONED COMMITTEE IN NEXT FEW DAYS BY  
FURNISHING OFFICE SERVICES AS WELL AS PARTICIPATING IN  
PICKET LINE IN SHIFTS OF FEW HOURS AT TIME. OBSERVATION  
AND LIAISON BY WFO CONTINUING.

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NEW YORK, N.Y.  
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BUREAU  
WASHINGTON FIELD.....URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE FOR THE ROSENBERGS, ISR. [REDACTED] TELEPHONE CALL JUNE SIXTEEN INST. [REDACTED] BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD, ADVISED TODAY THAT FOUR THOUSAND MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE WILL TRAVEL TO WASHINGTON VIA B & O THURSDAY JUNE EIGHTEEN NEXT. THEY WILL LEAVE JERSEY CITY, N.J., AT EIGHT AM AND AT ONE PM ON JUNE EIGHTEEN. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD, ADVISED THAT THE ROSENBERG COMMITTEE DESIRES TO SEND TWO THOUSAND MEMBERS TO WASHINGTON ON JUNE EIGHTEEN NEXT VIA PENN RR NINE AM, EASTERN DAYLITE TIME IN TWO TRAINS. ANOTHER TWO THOUSAND TO GO AT TWO PM EDT IN TWO TRAINS. THE FOUR THOUSAND TO RETURN TO NY TWELVE MIDNITE EDT JUNE EIGHTEEN IN FOUR TRAINS. IT IS NOT KNOWN WHETHER THIS GROUP OF FOUR THOUSAND IS THE SAME AS THAT MENTIONED ABOVE CONTEMPLATING TRAVEL BY

B &amp; O.

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BOARDMAN

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Special Agent in Charge

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BUS MAIL (REGISTERED MAIL)  
(NEW YORK REGISTERED MAIL)

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COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS, C. DAYLEY. 75-328  
ADVISED NAT'L COMMITTEE OF CAPTIONED COMMITTEE HAS ARRANGED FOR TWO SPECIAL  
TRAINS, ONE IN THE MORNING AND ONE IN THE AFTERNOON, TO CARRY ROSENBERG  
SYMPATHIZERS TO WASH., D.C., FOR CLEMENCY RALLY 6/18/53. BOTH TRAINS WILL  
STOP AT PHILA. ON ROUTE. NAT'L OFFICE ANTICIPATES 4,000 DELEGATES FROM  
NEW YORK WILL ATTEND THIS RALLY.

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DIRECTOR, FBI

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,  
IS DASH C. DALEY. SECURITY INFORMANT

SECURITY INFORMANT BA 923-S ADVISED PHYLLIS SACHS, BALTO, MD,  
OF SYNPATIZER, CONTACTED MARY ROBERTS, CP MEMBER, AND ADVISED  
THAT CAPTIONED COMMITTEE MANTED PEOPLE TO "CALL" SAMUEL FRIEDMAN,  
U. S. CONGRESSMAN FROM MARYLAND, AND REQUEST THAT HE CONTACT  
PRESIDENT EISENHOWER AND U. S. ATTORNEY GENERAL BROWNLIE,  
URGING EXECUTIVE CLEMENCY IN BEHALF OF THE ROSENBERGS.

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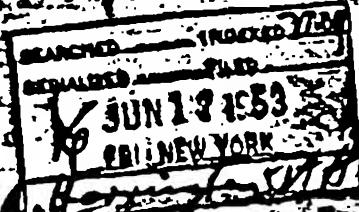
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TO : SAC  
FROM : SA E. K. DEANE  
SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
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DATE: June 16, 1953

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Identity of employee who can testify as to the receipt of the exhibit  
SA E. K. DEANE AND SE V. H. MC PEAK

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# Committee To Secure Justice In The Rosenberg Case

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## "CLEMENCY FLOAT" TO CARRY NEW EVIDENCE IN ROSENBERG CASE TO NEW YORK'S FIVE BOROUGHS

1050 SIXTH /  
NEW YORK 1:  
LONGACRE 4-9585

NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 2 -- A "Clemency Float", one of two that will carry new evidence in the Rosenberg Case throughout New York's five boroughs during the next two weeks was launched today (Tuesday) by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

The Float, which will have blow-ups of new documents that prove major prosecution witnesses lie against the Rosenbergs, started on its clemency journey at 110th Street and Madison Ave., at 3 p.m., when the first street meeting was held. There will be a street meeting at each stop.

On Thursday, when the float will stop in the fur district, at 29th Street and 7th Avenue at 12 noon, a second float will also start making the rounds of the boroughs. On Saturday at 11 a.m. there will be a meeting of clothing workers at 15th St. and 5th Ave.

Rosenberg Committees throughout the United States are preparing similar floats to carry information about the new evidence and world-wide clemency pleas to the public.

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## ROSENBERG CLEMENCY DEMANDS

## INCREASE THROUGHOUT WORLD

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NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 9, 1953--Meetings are being planned throughout Italy in behalf of clemency for the Rosenbergs on Sunday, June 14, when persons throughout the United States will make a clemency appeal before the White House, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case learned today.

Reports of increased demands for clemency from throughout the world have been pouring into the office of the National Committee.

In Italy there have been prayers in towns all over the country since the new execution date has been set. Delegations, further angered at the fact that the execution date chosen was the Rosenbergs' 14th wedding anniversary, planned to visit the U.S. Embassy and consulates.

The influential French newspaper Le Monde, in an editorial entitled "Bargain of Death" criticized the talk-or-die ultimatum designed to extract a confession from the Rosenbergs. The paper said that even if such a confession were obtained, in the light of the new

evidence introduced and in light of the fact that it would be obtained in the shadow of the electric chair, the world would be inclined not to believe it.

In Switzerland, La Tribune de Geneve, the foremost French-Swiss newspaper also rebuked the attempt to make a "deal." In an editorial titled "Torture Through Hope", the newspaper wrote that "this horrible game, this new torture by hope, continues to move world public opinion

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case today received a telegram from persons in Viet Nam demanding clemency and terming the death sentence "arbitrary."

Thousands of persons attended an open air meeting in Stockholm, Sweden, on June 5. The speakers included Dr. John Takman, child psychiatrist at the Stockholm Child Welfare Board, and Hilding Paulsson chairman of the Stockholm Plumbers Trade Union. The stage had as a background a huge painting of Ethel and Julius Rosenberg by the Swedish artist Adelyne Cross-Eriksson.

In the past week there have been editorials for clemency in leading Swedish newspapers.

Meanwhile, the list of prominent persons throughout the world coming out for clemency continued to grow at a rate that made it hard to keep up with the names.

One of the latest to urge that President Eisenhower commute the death sentence was Hugo Ernst, general president of the Hotel and Restaurant Employees International Alliance, AFL. Appeals have also been made by James Waterman Wise, a member of the editorial board of Opinion Magazine, and leading education and science figures in Israel.

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## ROSENBERG FAMILY TO PLEAD AT UNION SQUARE RALLY

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New York, June 9—Members of the Rosenberg family, pleading for clemency as the Rosenbergs are being rushed to the execution chamber, will make an appeal to the nation at the clemency rally at Union Square, Thursday, 5 p.m. (June 11)

The thousands gathered to ask that President Eisenhower commute the death sentence will hear, via a recording, a plea from Michael Rosenberg, 10-year-old son of the condemned couple.

Michael, speaking also for his brother Robbie, 6, stirred the world with a letter he wrote to President Eisenhower asking to "please let my momm-

and daddy go". A member of the Uruguay Chamber of Deputies was so moved by the child's plea that he introduced a clemency resolution, which was passed by the Chamber with only one dissenting vote.

The rally will also hear Mrs. Sophie Rosenberg, mother of Julius, who was in the courtroom on Monday when Judge Kaufman turned down the petition for a new trial on the basis of new evidence.

Meanwhile, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case reported a rush on reservations for the Clemency Train to Washington on Sunday, June 14. People from throughout the country will journey to Washington to make their clemency demands known at the White House.

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## MOTHER MAKES PUBLIC PLEA FOR ROSENBERG CLEMENCY AT RALLY

Prof. Ephraim Cross Warns Execution  
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NEW YORK—Mrs. Sophie Rosenberg today made a public plea to President Eisenhower to save her son and daughter-in-law from execution as thousands joined her at a rally in Union Square in an appeal for clemency.

Mrs. Rosenberg, the mother of Julius Rosenberg, said at the Rally which was held between 5 and 7 p.m., that she knew Ethel and Julius were innocent.

"I have come here to plead," she said. "To you, to President Eisenhower, to the whole world. Save my children. Don't let them die. They are innocent."

Mrs. Rosenberg said that next Thursday should be a happy day for the young parents because it is their 14th wedding anniversary, but instead they are scheduled to die.

"What can I—a mother and a grandmother—say? My Julius and my Ethel said everything for me. Only last week they said, 'If we die, it will be the murder of innocent people.'

"They are telling the truth. I know it. I know Julius. I know Ethel. They never stole any atom secrets. They know nothing about atom secrets."

Dr. Ephraim Cross, professor of English at City College, told the crowd that "the prosecution did not have clean hands" and warned that "the execution of this married couple will produce a wave of horror throughout the world that will do the U. S. no good.

"American justice and mental balance will be dealt a blow equivalent to the loss of many battlefields," he said.

"The unscrupulous exploitation of the issue of the table purchased at Macy's; the false testimony admitted by the F.B.I. in the case of the photographer who testified against the Rosenbergs and the revelations indicating a concocted testimony on the part of Greenglass, all prove that here again a trial was a mere contest of forces, not an effort to obtain the truth."

Rabbi Max Fleishman of the Radio City Synagogue, and Mr. Richard Bishop, patrolman of The Marine, Cooks & Stewards Union, also spoke.

Favorite songs of Ethel Rosenberg were sung by Martha Schlamme.

Announcement was made at the rally of a Clemency train to Washington on Sunday, June 14. Reservations were being made with the National Committee to secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. Those traveling from the New York area will join persons from throughout the country before the White House in a clemency appeal.

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### ASKS EISENHOWER GRANT CLEMENCY TO ROSENBERGS

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NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 6, 1953 -- The

Uruguayan Chamber of Deputies, with only one dissenting voice, passed a resolution on June 1 calling on Pres. Eisenhower to grant clemency to the Rosenbergs, the Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case learned today.

The resolution, confirmed today by the Uruguayan Embassy in Washington, was submitted by Dr. Tomas Brena of the Partido de la Union Civica. Dr. Brena, a Catholic Deputy, said:

"Something has happened recently which should provide thought for all men of good will. This is the petition of the 10-year-old son of the

United States, David, for the lives of his parents."

"This anguished cry from a child," he declared, "which is a cry of sorrow becomes at the same time a cry of hope."

"In order that the cry of a child begging for the lives of his parents shall not be in vain; in order that the cry of a child among the children of the world who have many times in wars paid for the sins of their elders, shall not be silenced; I ask that the petition from that tiny human being shall result in a telegram from the Uruguayan Chamber of Deputies to the President of the United States."

Member after member, representing all parties and trends except the single deputy who voted against the resolution, stood up to speak for the plea to President Eisenhower, and the resolution was adopted quickly.

The plea to which the sponsoring deputy referred was the recent letter from Michael Rosenberg to the President saying he had seen Mrs. Oatis tell her story on television and urging that Mr. Eisenhower send home his "Mummy and Daddy."

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ASKS ROSENBERG CLEMENCY

NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 8, 1953 -- Mr. Earle Marks today made public a communication from James Waterman Wise urging clemency for the Rosenbergs. Mr. Wise is a member of the editorial board of Opinion, a journal of Jewish life and letters, which was founded by his late father, Dr. Stephen S. Wise.

In his statement, Mr. Wise pleads for commutation of the death sentence of the Rosenbergs in the interest of justice and American prestige abroad.

The statement from Mr. Wise, who is currently residing in Switzerland, reads as follows:

"I wish to add my voice to those who plead for commutation of the death sentence for Julius and Ethel Rosenberg. In so doing, I neither question their guilt nor condone their crime. They have wronged our country and merit punishment at its hands. To execute them, however, will serve neither the ends of justice nor of our national honor and security.

"Our country is not at war, and its history offers no previous instance of execution for espionage, in time of peace. Moreover, the fact that atomic secrets were revealed to a wartime ally, not an enemy, mitigates though it cannot exculpate the crime -- and should mitigate the severity of the sentence."

"Under these circumstances, I feel that the death penalty would violate both the spirit and the letter of safeguards against "cruel and unusual punishments" contained in our Bill of Rights. It would smack more of hysteria than of justice under law. It would be unworthy of our country.

"Moreover, it would adversely affect the prestige of the United States throughout a watching world. I have resided abroad for several years, and know that the fate of the Rosenbergs is under the most careful scrutiny. Our friends regard that fate as an indication of America's capacity to be strong without being vindictive. They hope that hostile propagandists will not be given the excuse of the Rosenbergs' execution in order to make "martyrs" of them.

"Commutation of the death sentence would, therefore, strengthen our friends and refute our enemies, would reaffirm America's ability to defend itself without sacrificing constitutional principles, and would above all temper the demands of justice with the wisdom of mercy.

"One further word about the so-called Jewish aspects of the Rosenberg case. Despite the efforts of friendly and hostile groups to inject them, they are basically fictitious and irrelevant. I state this, knowing that anti-Semites have perverted the case -- as they pervert all things -- to their foul uses, and knowing that groups sympathetic to the Rosenbergs have sought to engage opinion in their behalf because they are Jews.

"In reality the racial and religious issue plays no essential role one way or another. Whatever else it may be, this is no Dreyfuss Affair. Its just and humane solution must be sought and found not on Jewish or anti-Jewish grounds, but on the merits themselves.

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Dear Friend:

It is late -- BUT NOT TOO LATE -- to save the lives of the Rosenbergs who are scheduled to die on June 18th, the day of their fourteenth wedding anniversary. THEIR time is growing short, but you still have precious time to do something to save two lives.

All legal processes are not exhausted. New evidence keeps pouring in. Help them in the name of humanity and human conscience to present this evidence while they still live.

POPE PIUS XII has asked mercy for these parents of two sons. PROFESSOR MALCOLM SHAW of the University of Chicago Law School declares the Pope's mercy plea "has reinforced the criticism made by many Americans of the severity of the sentence" and declares the new evidence now available "shakes the confidence" in the guilty verdict. PROFESSOR ALBERT EINSTEIN, asks mercy and joins DR. HAROLD UREY, Nobel Prize winner and foremost atomic authority, in casting doubt on some of the evidence that convicted the Rosenbergs.

TWENTY-THREE HUNDRED PROTESTANT CLERGYMEN and countless RABBIS ask mercy, and thousands of their fellow Americans from coast to coast have appealed to President Eisenhower for clemency.

FIVE MINUTES OF YOUR TIME  
CAN SAVE TWO LIVES---

WIRE -- WRITE -- AT DUES -- TODAY -- to President EISENHOWER. Ask him for CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS.

ONE HOUR OF YOUR TIME  
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Attend the CLEMENCY RALLY at UNION SQUARE on THURSDAY, June 11th at 5 P.M. Attend this great demonstration for LIFE and MERCY.

ONE DAY OF YOUR TIME  
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Join the CLEMENCY TRAIN to Washington on SUNDAY, JUNE 14th. Let President Eisenhower know that the people will support a humanitarian decision. Train leaves Liberty St. ferry at 8:15 a.m. (daylight time), and from B & O Railroad, Jersey City, at 8:30 a.m. - Reservation blank attached. - your ADVANCE RESERVATIONS ARE ESSENTIAL.

You are important to this case. YOUR clock marks only the passing of everyday tasks and pleasures. THEIR life is running out.

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## ROSENBERGS ASSERT INNOCENCE IN BOOK OF LETTERS PUBLISHED TODAY

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## Profits To Go To Rosenberg Children

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NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 11, 1953 -- "Legally, judicially, morally and in simple truth, we are completely innocent," says Julius Rosenberg in one of the letters included in "DEATH HOUSE LETTERS OF ETHA AND JULIUS ROSENBERG," a book off the press today.

"Justice demands that we live to have our day in court to win complete vindication. The human conscience and our country's honor demand this."

"DEATH HOUSE LETTERS" was published by the Jewish Publishing Co., New York City, and is being distributed throughout the country by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case.

Profits from the book will go into a trust fund for Michael and Robbie Rosenberg, the couple's two children who have written to President Eisenhower to spare their mother and father, who are scheduled to die on June 16, their 14th wedding anniversary.

The letters include the young parents' correspondence with each other, their lawyer, their children, and their family. The book sells for \$1 in a paper cover edition.

European publishing houses are bringing the book out in several languages abroad, and Figaro, leading Paris newspaper, has bought the serial rights in France.

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# "We Are Innocent"

## SAY ETHEL AND JULIUS ROSENBERG

They are told, "Talk and you can live." But only days before death, they swear they are innocent. Against their word is the word of proven perjurers!

**PERJURY!** Newly-discovered documents — in the handwriting of chief prosecution witness Greenglass — prove Greenglass lied when he swore in court that Julius Rosenberg sent spy Gold to him. "I didn't know who sent Gold to me," Greenglass admits.

My husband is "an hysterick" who would "say things were so even if they were not," says Mrs. Greenglass of her husband, David, in an interview with her lawyer.

**PERJURY!** AN AFFIDAVIT from a staff member of R. H. Macy's department store proves Greenglass lied when he claimed the Rosenbergs got an expensive console table from the Russians. The affidavit proves the table was an inexpensive one bought at Macy's, as the Rosenbergs had testified.

AN AFFIDAVIT from FBI agent John Harrington reveals a major witness lied on the stand in identifying the Rosenbergs.

**PERJURY!** Witness Max Elitcher faced a perjury indictment for swearing falsely to the government and admitted he hoped to make things easier for himself by his testimony against the Rosenbergs.

Even as you read this, new evidence of perjury is being uncovered.

**Don't let them die on perjured testimony. See that the FULL TRUTH comes to light NOW . . . NOT AFTER THEY ARE ELECTROCU**

WRITE—WIRE PRESIDENT EISENHOWER:

**CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS**

**CLEMENCY RALLY**

**THURSDAY, June 11th, Union Square, 5 P. M.**

## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : (175)

DATE: 6/16/53.

FROM : JH Acting Director FBI

SUBJECT: Wilkinson Subject  
Security Bulletin

Wilfred A. Waltemade, assistant district attorney Bronx County, New York, advised that he had received this "Communist" literature in the mail. He desired that the New York office make a record that he had not authorized the use of his name on any mailing list for the purpose of such literature distribution. The booklet was mailed to him on 5/29/53 at 560 Melrose Ave Bronx N.Y. The return address was Room #2 1050 Sixth Ave, New York City.

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6/16/53

Federal Bureau of Investigation  
290 Broadway

Enclosed circular headed one 6/16/53 at  
35 St + 5 Ave. thought you might like it

Yours truly  
Albert A. Weber

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TO BUREAU AND NY JUNE SIXTEEN, AND WFO AIRTEL TO PHILA. JUNE ~~FIFTEEN~~  
PH-EIGHTYTWO-S ADVISED THIS DATE THAT TWO SPECIAL PA. TRAINS SCHEDULED  
LEAVE NYC NINE A. M. AND TWO P. M., DST, JUNE EIGHTEEN, STOPPING AT PH  
AT ELEVEN AM AND FOUR PM EN ROUTE TO WASH., D. C. THESE TRAINS WILL  
CARRY DELEGATES FOR ROSENBERG CLEMENCY RALLY, WAS., SCHEDULED JUNE  
EIGHTEEN. TRAINS SCHEDULED LEAVE WASH., FOR RETURN NY AT TWELVE  
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DELEGATES WILL ATTEND RALLY FROM NY. SIZE OF PH ELEEGATION NOT YET  
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PLAN TO ATTEND THIS RALLY. IF SUPREME COURT REFUSES TO RECONVENE  
TO CONSIDER JUSTICE DOUGLAS- ACTION RALLY WILL BE CANCELLED. INFORMANT  
ALSO ADVISED NAT-L OFFICE INSTRUCTED PH OFFICE OF COMMITTEE THIS  
DATE TO HAVE TELEGRAMS SENT IMMEDIATELY TO CONGRESSMEN ON FLOOR OF HOUSE  
PRAISING JUSTICE DOUGLAS AND OBJECTING TO HOUSE-S INTERFERENCE WITH  
SUPREME COURT. NAT-SL OFFICE ALSO INSTRUCTED THAT PHONE CALLS BE  
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CHIEF RABBI OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH  
AND FORMER PRESIDENT OF GERMAN JEWISH  
COMMUNITY URGE CLEMENCY

NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 12, 1953 -- The Rev. Israel Brodsky, Chief Rabbi of the British Commonwealth, and Rabbi Leo Baeck, President of the Jewish Community in Germany until driven out by Hitler in 1939, and elder statesman of world Reform Jewry, have asked President Eisenhower to grant clemency to Ethel and Julius Rosenberg, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case learned today.

Rabbi Brodsky, in a message to President Eisenhower given to U.S. Ambassador Winthrop Aldrich in London for transmission to Washington, appealed on humanitarian grounds.

Rabbi Baeck, former Grand President of B'nai B'rith in Germany, in a communication from England revealing his mercy plea, stated he was "horrified at the extremity of the sentence" and revealed that while he was in the United States last winter, "I approached influential people time and again in order to arouse their consciences" over the Rosenberg case.

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FOR CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS

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Join Chancellor of Hebrew University,  
Professors, Writers, Scientists and  
Artists in Message from Israel

NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 5 -- Dr. Martin Buber, world's foremost Jewish philosopher and historian; S. Y. Agnon, one of the greats of Jewish literature, the Chancellor of the Hebrew University in Jerusalem; professors, scientists, artists and other notables have joined in a plea to President Eisenhower for clemency for the Rosenbergs, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case learned today.

The group wrote:

"From Jerusalem, the Eternal City of the people of Israel, from the City of Peace, the city of vision of the prophets, we, men of science, literature and the arts appeal to you together with the foremost intellectuals throughout the world with the fervent plea that you grant amnesty to Ethel and Julius Rosenberg.

"We who reject the death penalty plead with you to prevent the destruction of a family, to prevent the loss of their parents to children, to act for clemency to which the whole enlightened world looks forward."

The signers: Nathan Agmon, of the Jewish National Fund, writer and educator; S.Y. Agnon; Dr. Ernest Ahiba, professor of philosophy, Hebrew University; Dr. Ernest Alexander, scholar; Mrs. Paula Appenschlack, editor and member of the Jewish Agency; Mordehai Ardon Bronstein, director of the Bezalel Art School and of

the National Museum; Avigdor Ariha, novelist; Rabbi M. Benjamin, writer and philosopher; Dr. Buber.

Also, Zalmon Efros; Mrs. Paula Eichenbaum; Dr. H. Friedlander; Dr. Haim Gouri, poet and hero of the Palmach, the Israel Commando force; Dr. Simon Halkin, professor of Hebrew Literature, writer and translator of Walt Whitman; Prof. Israel Heilprin; Dr. S. Haruvi; Mrs. Shoshana Hayman, Hebrew University; Haim Hefer, writer; T. Karmi; Dr. Raphael Mahler, historian, author of the forthcoming "The Forerunners of American Zionism"; Dr. Yitzhak Mann, Jewish National Fund, author, translator of Philosophical Library; Dr. Israel Mehlman, professor of Hebrew Literature, Hebrew University; Shulamit Riftin, poet; Dr. Martin Rothenreich, professor at the Hebrew University and contributing editor of the Mapai journal, "Molad"; Dr. Frantz Schiff; Itzhak Schoenberg, writer and translator; Dr. David Werner Senator, Chancellor of the Hebrew University; Dr. Zvi Strauss; Dr. David Sutzik, professor of botany; Dr. Samuel Alexander Shtzupak, jurist; Yehoshoyahu Wolfsberg, philosopher, member of Hapoel Hamizrachi, the religious labor party and its delegate to the Actions Committee of the World Zionist Organization; Zvi Zabor, director of the Tel Aviv Teachers' Seminary and member of the Jewish National Fund.

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PRESS RELEASE

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TWENTY-FOUR HOUR CLEMENCY VIGIL

BEGINS AT WHITE HOUSE SUNDAY --

CHIEF RABBI OF BRITISH COMMONWEALTH

ASKS MERCY FOR ROSENBERGS

NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 12, 1953 -- The Clemency Rally for the Rosenbergs scheduled for Sunday in front of the White House in Washington, has been lengthened into a 24-hour Vigil for Mercy, the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case announced today.

The vigil, which will begin at 1:30 P.M., will have wide participation of persons from all over the United States. A special train which is to leave the B & O Station in Jersey City at 8:30 A.M. (Daylight time), on Sunday, will carry participants from the New England states as well as those from the New York area, and will pick up others en route to Washington.

Prayer meetings will be held late in the afternoon, led by ministers and rabbis who will accompany the clemency mission. In addition, Saturday and Sunday have been designated as Days of Prayers for the Rosenbergs in churches and synagogues throughout the New York area.

The Washington vigil will have as one theme the doubts in the Rosenberg case raised through constantly-emerging new evidence which the Rosenberg lawyers are trying to place before the courts now, and will ask President Eisenhower to extend clemency to the Rosenbergs until these and all other reasonable doubts are resolved before it is too late. The Rosenbergs are scheduled to die in Sing Sing next Thursday -- their wedding anniversary.

Another theme of the Vigil will be the unequal justice meted out to the Rosenbergs as compared with the wholesale pardoning of war criminal Nazi generals and the lighter sentences given to Axis Sally and Tokyo Rose convicted of the more heinous crime of treason.

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11:00 AM

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,

IS-C. DAYLET. PICKETING WHITE HOUSE UNDER AUSPICES

CAPTIONED COMMITTEE CONTINUES. AT 7:30 A.M. THIS DATE EIGHT  
PICKETS OBSERVED BY SAS WFO. RE WFO DAYLET PM JUNE 16 LAST

CONCERNING TRAINS CHARTERED FOR TRANSPORTATION DEMONSTRATORS  
FROM NEW YORK CITY JUNE 18 NEXT. AT 10:30 AM THIS DATE

[REDACTED] WASHINGTON TERMINAL POLICE, ADVISED IT IS STILL  
UNKNOWN AS TO WHETHER B AND O TRAINS HAVE BEEN ENGAGED IN  
ADDITION TO THE PREVIOUSLY DESCRIBED FOUR PENNSYLVANIA TRAINS  
WHICH WILL CARRY APPROXIMATELY 4500 DEMONSTRATORS. [REDACTED]

LEAFLET DISTRIBUTION CARRIED OUT GRIFFITH STADIUM NIGHT OF  
JUNE 16 LAST.

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cc - (2) New York (EM)  
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## **RECTOR, FBI**

**LOS ANGELES COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,**

IS - C. DAYLT. SUBJECT COMMITTEE CONTINUED QUOTE PRAYER  
VIGIL UNQUOTE BEFORE FEDERAL BUILDING YESTERDAY; HOWEVER,

**ADVISED THAT IN VIEW OF STAY OF**

~~EXECUTION GRAFTED TODAY THE VIGIL IS BEING CALLED OFF~~

INFORMANT ADVISED THAT ALL OTHER ACTIVITY ALSO BEING KILLED

~~RE BRIEF OF APPEAL BY LOCAL COMMITTEE PENDING RECEIPT OF INSTRUCTIONS~~

**FROM NATIONAL OFFICE IN NEW YORK**

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,  
IS-C. DAYLET. PICKETING WHITE HOUSE DISCONTINUED APPROXIMATELY  
12 NOON THIS DATE. AT 3:50 PM THIS DATE [REDACTED] WASHINGTON  
TERMINAL POLICE, ADVISED HE HAD JUST RECEIVED INFORMATION FROM  
PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD POLICE, PHILADELPHIA, WHO HAD IN TURN  
SECURED INFORMATION FROM TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT, PENNSYLVANIA RR,  
TO EFFECT THAT AFTER COMMITTEE CANCELLED ORIGINAL PLANS FOR  
USE OF FOUR TRAINS JUNE 18, 1953, THEY REINSTITUTED TENTATIVE  
NEGOTIATIONS FOR CHARTERING TWO TRAINS TO LEAVE NEW YORK,  
1:00 AND 1:05 PM EDST JUNE 18. ARRANGEMENTS ARE ONLY TENTATIVE  
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NEW DOCUMENTS REVEAL PROSECUTION COMPLICITY IN PERJURY  
IN ROSENBERG CASE. —

UPHOLD ROSENBERG CHARGE THAT GREENGLASS STOLE URANIUM  
FROM LOS ALAMOS. —

PROVE PROSECUTION SOUGHT INFLAMMATORY PRESS STORIES  
BEFORE TRIAL. —

NEW YORK, June 4 — New documents proving that the previous administration's prosecution was guilty of the "encouragement, shielding and commission of perjury" in the Rosenberg case were made public at a press conference today by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. The committee is sending the new evidence to President Eisenhower and the Attorney General's office.

The documents, taken together with documents previously revealed, disclosed that:

1. A deal was made between the prosecution and David and Ruth Greenglass in exchange for perjured testimony.
2. The prosecution itself committed perjury in connection with the Rosenberg case.
3. The prosecution engaged in a most serious violation of legal and ethical standards by the calculated obtaining of inflammatory pre-trial publicity against Ethel and Julius Rosenberg.
4. The Rosenbergs were telling the truth when they charged that David Greenglass was engaged in uranium theft from Los Alamos. This fact tends to confirm the Rosenbergs' contention that Greenglass was in trouble over this theft and threatened to "get even" because the Rosenbergs couldn't help him.

Two of the documents were sent to the committee, along with the documents previously made public, at Randall's Island on May 3rd, by the French Rosenberg Committee.

The document is an affidavit by Bernard Greenglass, the brother of David Greenglass and of Ethel Rosenberg. Prompted by the desire to tell the truth in the face of

his brother's sentence, Bernard Greenglass came forth only a few days ago with an affidavit revealing his brother's theft of uranium.

The final document is a sworn prosecution affidavit in the Perl case.

In releasing the material to the press, the committee issued the appended explanation and analysis of the documents.

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case now makes public four documents in addition to two which it had previously released to the press and the public.

Whereas the earlier documents point to perjury by the Greenglasses, the new documents point to the encouragement, shielding, and commission of perjury by the previous administration's prosecution itself, as well as a most serious violation of legal and ethical standards in respect to the calculated obtaining of inflammatory pre-trial publicity against Ethel and Julius Rosenberg.

One of the new documents is a sworn affidavit by Bernard Greenglass, brother of David Greenglass, confirming the Rosenbergs' contention that David Greenglass was engaged in uranium theft from the Los Alamos atom bomb project and tending to uphold their testimony that it was because he had gotten into trouble over this that Greenglass solicited their aid and threatened "to get even" if it was not forthcoming.

The second and third of these four documents came from the French Rosenberg Committee, as did those now public, and reveal a "deal" between the prosecution and the Greenglasses in which the couple were both to give immunity to prosecution in exchange for their perjured testimony.

The fourth of these documents is a sworn prosecution affidavit in the Perl case.

The committee had hoped that the previously revealed perjury committed by David Greenglass would result in an initiative by the Attorney General's office for further exploration and that the prosecution, mindful of its obligations to get at the truth at all costs, would itself ask for a stay of execution.

Regrettably, the prosecution, for inexplicable reasons, has ignored the evidence of Greenglass' perjury and has urged the utmost haste in respect to the execution of the Rosenbergs.

1. Bernard Greenglass' affidavit: Re Greenglass' Uranium Theft, Concealed by Prosecution.

During his testimony, Julius Rosenberg said that in the Spring of

1945 Ruth Greenglass had told him that her husband was in trouble.

"A. Ruthie told me something to this effect: 'Julius, I am terribly worried. David has an idea to make some money and take some things from the Army'; and I told her, 'Warn David not to do anything foolish. He will only get himself in trouble. I have read some accounts in the newspapers about some GI's doing foolish things and taking parts and gasoline from the Army, and their getting themselves in trouble,' and I told her, 'Don't tell—make sure to tell him that he doesn't do anything of the sort.'

p. 1089 printed trial transcript

"Q. You didn't attempt to ascertain from any other source or have anybody else like your wife talk to her brother to find out what was wrong?

"A. Well, that night when I came home and told my wife about the incident and my wife told me, 'What is the matter? Is Ruthie nagging Dave again for money?'

I said, 'No, it doesn't seem to be that. He must be in some trouble. I don't know what it is.'

And I recall at that time in my mind the incident — the instant he told me what had happened to him in February when the FBI had come around to visit him and question him about some uranium.

p. 1120. 1120 printed trial transcript

David Greenglass evaded this point, but Bernard Greenglass, his brother, in a sworn affidavit (May 31, 1953) states: "Some time in the year 1946 my brother David told me he had taken a sample of uranium from Los Alamos without permission of the authorities."

The prosecution was certainly aware of this fact, but remained silent.

This bears out the Rosenberg testimony that Greenglass came to them because he was in trouble over uranium theft and threatened to "get even" if the Rosenbergs did not assist him.

2. document dated "8/21/50" marked "From RHC to DJR" and document date "8/23/50, marked "From RHC to File." Re: Prosecution Greenglass "Deal".

David Greenglass testified:

"Q. Do you believe that by giving testimony in this case that you will be helped in terms of the severity of this sentence to be imposed upon you by the Court?"

A. The Court— it is entirely within the discretion of the Court to give sentence, and whatever is just — it depends on the Court and on nothing else by the Court.

Q. How I would be — I would ask you to be good enough to answer my question. Do you believe the court will be easier on you?

Mr. Cohn: Your Honor, I object.

Q.— the way you did?

Mr. Cohen: I object to the question as to form, the witness's belief.

Mr. Cohn: I believe that what he is trying to get at is a motive for his testimony.

Mr. Cohn: Yes, I have no objection to a proper question.

The Court: So I will permit him to ask the question.

A. I don't believe that I in testifying will help myself (fol. 868) to that great an extent.

Q. Would you say to any extent?

A. To any extent.

Q. All right. Do you believe that by testifying here in kind that you will help your wife?

A. I don't know what the government had in mind for my wife and I can't answer for them.

Q. You know, of course, that so far nothing has happened to your wife in terms of any criminal proceeding.

The Court: That has been answered.

Mr. Ochs: It has been answered.

Q.— or brought against her?

The Court: You don't have to answer that.

Mr. E.L. Block: I respectfully except.

— pages 607,608 of printed trial transcript

Extracts from above-mentioned two documents:

David Greenglass was not even to be brought to trial.

"I spoke to Ruth Greenglass this morning. She is feeling better and so is Dave apparently about the fact that we were not named as defendants." (8/21/50).

Promise of a suspended sentence even if brought to trial.

"But the thing that impressed her most however was that I told her that you were in friendly terms with Bennett, Director of Prisons. This impressed her because she feels that Dave may not get a suspended sentence and is worried about the kind of treatment he will get. (8/21/50)

David Greenglass is named as a defendant to conceal "deal".

"He (Myles Lane, Assistant U.S. Attorney) told us that Block had earlier in the day argued to the judge at the arraignment of his clients that they were absolutely innocent and that from the fact that Greenglass was not indicted but merely named as a co-conspirator in the New York indictment, it looked to Block as if the government had made a deal with you as Greenglass attorney. ...."

A true bill was voted and the indictment handed down within a week of this admissions."

An affidavit submitted to the court by Wyles J. Lane, U.S. Attorney, stated:

"The Perl indictment was obtained within a week after Perl had admitted he had not been truthful to the grand jury."

At Perl's trial, the prosecution obtained no corroboration of the Rosenbergs' alleged espionage, and let slip that its previous affidavits were false, as follows:

"Recross examination by Mr. MacMahon:

"Q. In March of 1951 you were given another chance to tell the truth and you still lied? (From the record of the Perl trial)

(The form of the question was objected to, objection was sustained, and Mr. MacMahon said he had no further questions).

Earlier Perl made these unchallenged statements, which again contradict the affidavits:

"A. Yes, I remember some general remarks by--well, various FBI agents but mainly Mr. Fay Cohn informed me that--well, that if I did not confess I would be indicted."

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Text of affidavit (Bernard Greenglass, May 31, 1953)

State of New York  
County of New York, S.S.

My name is Bernard Greenglass. I live at 64 Sheriff st. New York, N.Y. I am the brother of Ethel Rosenberg and David Greenglass; Ethel is my elder sister and David is my younger brother.

Some time in the year 1946 my brother David told me he had taken a sample of uranium from Los Alamos without permission of the authorities. He told me this at his then home 265 Rivington street New York, N.Y. I do not remember whether Ruth, David's wife was present at that time.

Sometime later, and I don't remember whether it was a year or more later or sometime before David's arrest in June 1950, David told me that he had thrown this uranium into the East River.

About a month ago, on a Friday night David Rosenberg, Julius Rosenberg's brother came to my home to discuss the case of Ethel and Julius. There was also present Ruth Greenglass, and my mother Tessie Greenglass. The subject of uranium came up: I told Dave Rosenberg the same story that I am stating here.

Ruth, David's wife said "David took a sample of Uranium but he threw it into the East River."

I told this same story about the uranium to my sister Ethel during my visit to her about a month and one half ago on a Saturday at the Sing Sing death house.

I also told the same story to Rabbi Koslowe at his home in Mamaroneck, N.Y. in the presence of David Rosenberg on the evening of May 25, 1953

I have voluntary related this story again to Emanuel H. Block at his office at 401 Broadway New York, N.Y. on this 31st day of May 1953.

The above is true sworn to before me this 31 day of May 1953

Bernard Greenglass

Gloria Agrin

Notary Public State of N.Y.

Sur. May. March 30, 1954

we would not have to consider the question of whether it was OK that Greenglass be indicted here in a superimposed indictment and not merely named as a co-conspirator. He would be a defendant and be tried here in New York but would testify against the others." (8/23/50)  
Protection for Greenglass from "Stiff" Sentence

"Lane pointed out that he thought it was obviously advantageous for both sides for the matter to be decided in New York...But Lane said that something should be done on this before September 6th and reiterated again it was to our advantage not to take any chance of getting before a judge in New Mexico,--clearly indicating that he felt that in a small state like New Mexico they might well prefer to give a good stiff sentence..." (8/23/50).

PROSECUTION GUilty OF COMMlTY IN DRAFTING  
INFLAMMATORy PAPER STATED AGAINST THE ROSENBERGS

A handwritten note on the second page of the document dated 8/23/50 states:

"I had lunch with Ruth, Pilat, and HJP. We looked at Pilat's articles. They look O.K., but HJP as a prosecution told Lane previously he would insist Pilat, who already had two conferences with Sapiro, show the draft of the articles to Sapiro or Lane." (8/23/50).

(Note: "Pilat" presumably refers to Oliver Pilat, a reporter for the New York Post. The mention of Mr. Pilat's name in this document can in no way be interpreted as reflecting on his integrity. The misconduct of the prosecution does not reflect on the conduct of a journalist.)

(The initials "HJP" are presumably those of Herbert J. Fabreman. The initials "HG" are presumably those of Robert H. Goldfarb. The initials "DA" are presumably those of A. J. Aronoff, who are members of the firm that represented Sapiro and Lane.)

8. PROSECUTION SUPPOSED ANTIDRUG

Defense counsel charged that the prosecution acted in bad faith in bringing William Perl to trial and that he would corroborate Greenglass' testimony that the accusations were spurious.

The prosecution countered that it had released the notes at that time because it had just then obtained a "confession" from William Perl.

An affidavit submitted to the court by John M. Foley, an assistant U. S. Attorney, stated:

"On March 5, 1951, at approximately 2:15 P.M., William Perl, in the presence of his attorney, informed me, in my office, in the presence of several Assistant United States Attorneys and two Special Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, stated that he had lied to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Grand Jury in that he had minimized his associations with Morton Sobell and other persons."

M E M O

8/23/50

FROM: RHG  
TO FILE

Re: Greenglass

Lane, the Assistant U.S. Attorney, called me at 1:00 o'clock and told me that something important had come up with respect to New Mexico and would I and/or Fabricant see him this afternoon. I told him that I could and HJF would come with me.

Lane wanted to know when OJR would return and I told him that we had expected him and in fact were trying to ascertain exactly when he would return. HJF and I went over to see Lane at 4:00 o'clock. He told us that Bloch had earlier in the day argued to the judge at the arraignment of his clients that they were absolutely innocent and that from the fact that Greenglass was not indicted but merely named as a co-conspirator in the New York indictment, it looked to Bloch as if the government had made a deal with you as Greenglass' attorney. Lane felt that we would now have to consider the question of whether it was OK that Greenglass be indicted here in a superseding indictment and not merely named as a co-conspirator. He would then be a defendant and be tried here in New York but would testify against the others. (HANDWRITTEN: See also the Newspaper clipping)

The New Mexico District Attorney, acting on instructions from the Attorney General's office, with whom Lane had been in touch, would agree to such a procedure. Lane pointed out that he thought it was obviously advantageous for both sides for the matter to be decided in New York. HJF told Lane that if there was no hurry ~~we~~ we would not want to give a definite commitment but that it would seem that such an arrangement would probably be approved by OJR.

I thought at least that I should make a purely off the record inquiry as to whether Dave could ~~not~~ testify as a co-conspirator in New York but not as a defendant and that the question of his plea be postponed. But Lane said that something should be done on this before September 6th and reiterated again it was to our advantage not to take any chance of getting before a judge in New Mexico, clearly indicating that he felt that in a small state like New Mexico they might well prefer to give a good stiff sentence (of course he added he did not want to tell us on anything, and so forth).

There was no indication that Ruth is to be indicted and neither Herb nor I wanted to raise the point. I had the inference that they were not planning to indict her but I could be wrong and I didn't even want to ask the question, though you may desire to do so.

Lane also informed us that he believed they found nothing on the bag in the way of fingerprints.

There was some discussion between HJF and Lane on the question of Sobell but Lane did not know what Sobell planned to do.

I think it best not to discuss this with Ruth until you return as she might get somewhat excited about it and at any rate we don't have to do anything before September 6th.

(HANDWRITTEN):

Friday

We learned today that Lane thinks Dave should agree to a plea in N.Y. on the New Mexico indictment; the New Mexico papers would all be sent here and then there would be the N.Y. Indictment.

Also I had lunch with Ruth, Pilot and HJF. We looked at Pilot's articles. They look OK, but HJF as a precaution, told Lane previously he would insist Pilot, who already had 2 Conferences with Saypol, showed the draft of the articles to Saypol or Lane.

TEXT OF MEMORANDUM DATED 8/21/50 MARKED TO:OJR FROM: FNG

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TO: CJF

8/21/50

FROM: FNG

RZ: GREENGLASS

I spoke to Ruth Greenglass this morning. She is feeling better and so is Dave apparently about the fact that they were not named as defendants. From Helen I learned that she may have been a little upset about it originally but now she feels the thing is moving smoothly.

However, Dave is worried about something else which I was able to reassure him through Ruth. Some of his cellmates in the Tombs have been telling him horror stories about the treatment he will get. I told her that we were happy to say that few of our clients went to jail but those who did had never had such a complaint. I further assured her that Saypol would not permit any mistreatment. But the thing that impressed her most however was that I told her that you were on friendly terms with Bennett, Director of Prisons. This impressed her because she feels that Dave may not get a suspended sentence and is worried about the kind of treatment he will get. I assured her that if he does go to jail for a period of time that you would certainly not hesitate to speak to Bennett and to make sure that Dave got good and fair treatment.

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Executive Secretary  
EMILY ALMAN

June 4th, 1953

Dear Friend:

It is late -- BUT NOT TOO LATE -- to save the lives of the Rosenbergs who are scheduled to die on June 18, the day of their fourteenth wedding anniversary. THEIR time is growing short, but you still have precious time to do something to save two lives.

All legal processes are not exhausted. New evidence keeps pouring in. Help them in the name of humanity and human conscience to present this evidence while they still live.

Pope Pius XII has asked mercy for these parents of two sons. Prof. Malcolm Sharp of the University of Chicago Law School declares the Pope's mercy plea "has reinforced the criticism made by many Americans of the severity of the sentence" and declares the new evidence now available "shakes the confidence" in the guilty verdict. Prof. Albert Einstein asks mercy and joins Dr. Harold Urey, Nobel Prize winner and foremost atomic authority, in casting doubt on some of the evidence that convicted the Rosenbergs. Twenty-three hundred Protestant Clergymen and countless Rabbis ask mercy and Americans from coast to coast have appealed to President Eisenhower for clemency.

FIVE MINUTES OF YOUR TIME  
CAN SAVE TWO LIVES --

WIRE -- WRITE -- AT ONCE -- NOW -- TODAY -- to President Eisenhower. Ask him for CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS.

ONE HOUR OF YOUR TIME  
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Attend the CLEMENCY RALLY at Union Square on Thursday, June 11, at 5 p.m. Attend this great demonstration for LIFE and MERCY.

ONE DAY OF YOUR TIME  
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Join the CLEMENCY TRAIN to Washington on SUNDAY, JUNE 14. Let President Eisenhower know that people urge him to save these lives. Train leaves Liberty St. Ferry at 8:15, a.m. daylight time, and from B & O Station, Jersey City, at

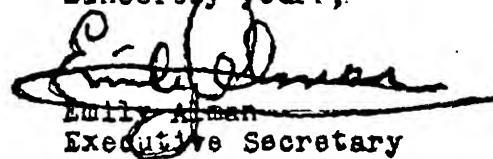
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We appeal to your own love of life and of justice ... in the  
name of humanity ... to do everything to help save Ethel and  
Julius Rosenberg.

Sincerely yours,

  
Emily A. Mann  
Executive Secretary

ROSENBERG CLEMENCY TRAIN

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I would like to make advance reservation (s) \_\_\_\_\_  
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#### DIRECTIONS:

The Ferry to the Clemency Train leaves Liberty St., N.Y.C., on Sunday, June 14, at 8:15 A.M. (Daylight Time) - and the train from B & O Railroad Station leaves Jersey City at 8:30 A.M.

ADVANCE RESERVATIONS SHOULD BE MADE AND PAID FOR AT ONCE IN ORDER TO ASSURE ADEQUATE ACCOMODATIONS. The committee itself has to pay in advance, which involves tying up thousands of dollars in ticket money -- funds badly needed NOW to reach the public on the Rosenberg Case. Every sale you make permits us to buy another ticket.

Tickets are available at the Rosenberg Committee office -- 1050 Sixth Avenue, from 8 A.M. to Midnight daily -- \$12 round-trip. Special family rate.

Whether you go by train, car or bus, we have no rallying point other than the WHITE HOUSE. Proceed directly to the White House and be ready to march promptly at 1 P.M.

DON'T DELEGATE YOUR CONSCIENCE TO SOMEONE ELSE!

ONLY YOU CAN REPRESENT YOU!

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## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (100-107111)

FROM : SAC, Philadelphia (100-37667)

SUBJECT: COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE  
IN THE ROSENBERG CASE  
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DATE: 6/17/53

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On 5/18/53, [REDACTED] b7d of known reliability, furnished SAs HARRY C. BELK and ALBERT E. FALLER with a leaflet captioned "All Faiths Ask Clemency for the ROSENBERGS" issued by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, 1050 Sixth Avenue, New York 18, N. Y.

The above item is being forwarded to the New York Office for its interest.

REF:PKR  
ENCL X  
REGISTERED MAIL  
cc:

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The  
**Whitehall Cement Manufacturing  
Company**

123 SOUTH BROAD STREET  
PHILADELPHIA 9, PA.

New York Sales Office  
11 West 42nd Street  
New York 36, N. Y.  
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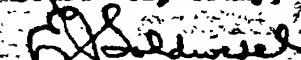
June 17th, 1953

Federal Bureau of Investigation  
290 Broadway  
New York City

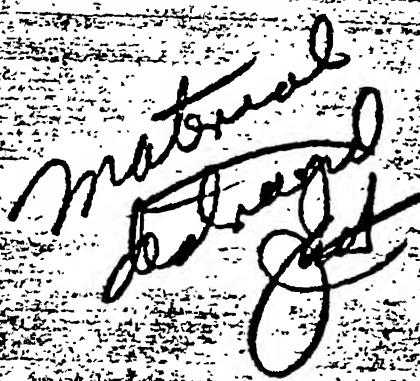
Gentlemen:

Enclosed is a circular that has been distributed in  
Bayside, New York.

Yours very truly,



Edwin J. Soldwedel

  
Matsosel  
J. D. S.  
Ed. J. S.

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Transmit the following Teletype message to: BUREAU URGENT

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS-G.  
SOURCE AT PRR STATION, NYC, ADVISES CAPTIONED COMMITTEE HAS CHAR-  
TERED SIXTEEN CAR TRAIN LEAVING NYC EIGHT ZERO FIVE AM, STANDARD  
TIME, JUNE EIGHTEEN INST., AND ARRIVING WASH., DC TWELVE NOON, STAND-  
ARD TIME. TRAIN STOPS AT NEWARK AT EIGHT TWENTY AND THIRTY ST.,  
PHILA., AT NINE FORTYFOUR. COMMITTEE ORIGINALLY WANTED TWO TRAINS  
FOR MORNING OF EIGHTEEN INST BUT HAVE NOW DECIDED ON ONLY ONE FOR  
MORNING AND POSSIBLY ONE LEAVING NYC ONE ZERO FIVE PM STANDARD  
TIME. TOTAL NUMBER PERSONS MAKING TRIP IS UNKNOWN.

BOARDMAN

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Approved: LVB  
Special Agent in Charge

Sent \_\_\_\_\_ M Per \_\_\_\_\_

290 Broadway  
New York 7, New York

June 18, 1953

Mr. Albert P. Weber  
Stokes-Weber Co.  
526 West 112th Street  
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Weber:

I wish to thank you for again communicating with this office.

The enclosures contained with your letter of June 16, 1953 have been carefully noted and I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation to you for making this information available.

Very truly yours,

LELAND V. BOARDMAN  
Special Agent in Charge

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# Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NY  
FROM : DAVON B. PITCHER, SA (100-107111)  
SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE  
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DATE: 6/18/53

On [REDACTED] (Use T), Panel Source, telephonically advised re that [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] had telephonically solicited [REDACTED] to "go to Washington on Sunday and help save two people's lives." She did not identify the ROSENBERGS by name and, in fact, merely repeated the quoted statement when asked who was involved.

On the same date, [REDACTED] (Use T), potential Panel Source, similarly advised that [REDACTED] was [REDACTED] that evening soliciting persons to go to Washington on the CLEMENCY TRAIN for the ROSENBERGS on Sunday.

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6/18/53

TO : SAC NY

FROM : [redacted]

SUBJECT: National Committee To Secure Justice  
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Act 4 telephonically advised writer on inst.  
etc that from a conf. between the committee  
& Ed Wallerstein it was ascertained that  
there is to be a mtg. tonite 9-10 P.M. at  
Norfolk & Delaney, Inc. It was also ascertained that the  
spec. train which went to Wash. today will leave Wash.  
tonite at 9:2 Mid.

[redacted] advised this evening that if the Supreme Court re-  
verses Justice Douglas tomorrow there will be another  
public meeting at 9:30 P.M. in Union Sq. on 19<sup>th</sup>

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*Springfield, NJ*

OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC

FROM : SA J. J. FEEHEY

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
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DATE: June 18, 1953

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## CAPTION

FOR RELEASE: THURSDAY, JUNE 11

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Dr. Gene Wolfish

Michael Rosenberg, 10 (right) and his six-year-old brother Robbie have received the first copy of the book, "DEATH HOUSE LETTERS OF ETHEL AND JULIUS ROSENBERG", off the press today (Thursday, June 11). Profits from the book, consisting of letters written by their parents, will go into a trust fund for the youngsters. The book, published by the Jero Publishing Co., of N.Y.C., is being distributed by the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case. Leading publishers in Europe are planning to print translations.

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# **THE ELECTRIC CHAIR CAN'T KILL THE DOUBTS IN THE ROSENBERG CASE**

- Two sensational documents just revealed show that Ethel and Julius Rosenberg were sent to the Death House on the word of a liar.
- One document is written by David Greenglass, chief witness against the Rosenbergs. Greenglass, in handwriting verified as his own by one of the nation's leading experts, flatly contradicts his own testimony at the trial and admits he lied to the FBI. Here are examples:

In court Greenglass swore that confessed spy Harry Gold was sent to him by Julius Rosenberg. In the document Greenglass admits he doesn't know who sent Gold to him.

Greenglass told the FBI he gave Gold vital atomic secrets. But in the document describing his statement made to the FBI he confesses: "I can honestly say the information I gave Gold may be not at all what I said in the statement."

- A second document, a lawyer's memorandum based on an interview with Ruth Greenglass, the wife of David, reports her description of her husband as follows:

"As to her husband, she stated that he had a 'tendency to hysteria'. At other times he would become delirious and once when he had the grippe he ran through the hallway, shrieking of 'elephants,' 'Lead Pants'.

"She had known him since she was ten years old. She said that he would say things were so even if they were not. He talked of suicide as if he were a character in the movies but she didn't think he would do it."

**THIS IS THE MAN ON WHOSE WORD THE ROSENBERGS ARE TO DIE.  
DON'T LET THEM DIE ON THE WORD OF A LIAR.**

*Write and Wire President Eisenhower:*

**CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS**

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FROM:

REVEREND JAMES A. POLITE  
951 STEBBINS AVENUE  
BRONX 59, NEW YORK

NEW YORK -- The following is the text of a letter asking clemency for the Rosenbergs sent to President Eisenhower on June 3 by the Reverend James A. Polite of the Thessalonian Baptist Church:

"Enclosed you will find forty-two individual letters from Rabbi and Ministers of the clergy, of all denominations, (residing in N.Y.) addressed to your honorable attention.

"The signatories of these letters, without reference to the guilt or innocence of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, appeal to you in the spirit of their calling for mercy and justice for these people.

"It is, in my mind, a sign of the inestimable wisdom of our American people, that the final power to grant mercy in cases of this kind resides not in the courts alone, nor in the press, both which may be influenced by prevailing hysteria, but in the President of the United States.

"We therefore humbly submit our petition for mercy to you, Mr. President, and hope that you will grant clemency to those unfortunate people.

"Respectfully yours, Reverend James A. Polite".

-- The following is the letter signed by the Ministers and Rabbi and sent to President Eisenhower:

"I am writing you at this time on a matter of serious moment. The case I have reference to is the matter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius and Ethel Rosenberg.

"Without reference to the guilt or innocence of these people I would like to add my plea to those of many prominent people both this country and throughout the world who have appealed to you for clemency in behalf of Julius and Ethel Rosenberg.

"My reasons for doing this are that the unusually severe sentence is unprecedented in American history, and is in fact a very harsh sentence for the third lesser crime than treason for which they were convicted. If clemency is not granted, then I feel that not only will these human beings be the recipients of a grave injustice, but also this country will suffer a serious moral blow in the eyes of the world.

"I therefore ask you Mr. President to seriously reconsider this matter and to grant clemency to Julius and Ethel Rosenberg by

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11 AM EDST

DIRECTOR AND SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE.

IS-C. DAYLET. RE WFO AIRTEL TO BUREAU JUNE FIFTEEN LAST.

[REDACTED] OF KNOWN RELIABILITY, ADVISED SA RUSSELL M.

Gwynne June Eighteen instant. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] INFORMANT

STATED THAT IN EVENT ROSENBERGS EXECUTED AS SCHEDULED, EFFORTS  
WILL BE MADE BY CRC AND OTHER PROGRESSIVE ORGANIZATIONS TO HAVE  
MASS DEMONSTRATION AT FUNERAL OF ROSENBERGS IN NEW YORK. 17d

HALLFORD

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cc: 1 - New York (REGISTERED MAIL)  
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J. A. Harrington

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11:00 AM

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE.

IS - C. DAYLET. INFO RECEIVED THIS AM FROM SECRET SERVICE AND

U. S. PARK POLICE CONCERNING PLANS OF CAPTIONED COMMITTEE FOR  
TODAY ARE AS FOLLOWS. THE FIRST OF TWO TRAINS SCHEDULED TO  
ARRIVE D.C. DUE TO ARRIVE ONE PM EDST. PASSENGERS WILL BREAK UP  
INTO SMALL GROUPS TO VISIT CONGRESSMEN ON HILL. MASS MEETING  
PLANNED NINTH AND CONSTITUTION - MALL, N.Y. APPROX TWO TO THREE  
PM. AT END OF MEETING ACTION WILL BE DETERMINED BASED UPON  
DECISION OF SUPREME COURT MEETING AT NOON. IF ROSENBERGS ARE  
TO BE EXECUTED, DEMONSTRATORS WILL HOLD DEATH VIGIL WHITE HOUSE.

IF EXECUTION POSTPONED, WILL PROBABLY RETURN NY AND NO PICKETING  
OF WHITE HOUSE WILL RESULT. ABOVE TELEPHONICALLY FURNISHED  
BUREAU EARLIER THIS DATE. MPD SUBSEQUENTLY ADVISED THAT FIVE  
ADDITIONAL COACHES BEING ADDED TO TRAIN AT PHILA., WHICH IS  
SCHEDULED ARRIVAL D.C. ONE PM EDST. TOTAL SIZE OF TRAIN WILL  
BE TWENTYONE COACHES WITH APPROX EIGHTEEN HUNDRED TO TWO  
THOUSAND DEMONSTRATORS. AT NINE FORTY-FIVE AM, ACCORDING TO

[REDACTED] POLICE SUPREME COURT, THERE WERE THEN ALREADY  
TWENTY-FIVE TO THIRTY IN LINE FOR SEATS IN SUPREME COURT.  
GROUP CARRIED LUNCHES AND APPARENTLY PLAN TO SPEND DAY THERE.

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JUSTICE DOUGLAS' DECISION

REC'D WITH MUCH GLEE BUT RESULTED IN CONSIDERABLE TENSION AND  
CHIEF JUSTICE VINSON'S LATER DECISION TO RECONVENE SUPREME COURT REC'D WITH DISCOMFORT. MURKOUS WASHINGTONIANS AND OUT OF TOWNSERS, MOSTLY NEW YORKERS, PRESENT. ALL D.C. PEOPLE IDENTIFIED AS WELL KNOWN COMMUNISTS AND/OR SYNPATIZERS. OUT OF TOWNSERS INCLUDED DON ROTHENBERG, AARON SCHNEIDER, EMANUEL FLOCK, HELEN SOBELL. A JUDGOR CIRCULATED AT INSPIRATION HOUSE WAS TO EFFECT QUEEN OF ENGLAND HAS EXPRESSED CONCERN OVER CONTEMPLATED EXECUTION ROSENBERGS. [REDACTED] MADE STATEMENT TO EFFECT THAT IF ROSENBERGS DIE THERE WILL BE RIOTS THROUGHOUT EUROPE. WORK OF COMMITTEE AT INSPIRATION HOUSE WELL BE ORGANIZED.

[REDACTED] CONTAINED

IN MY DAILET JUNE FOURTEEN LAST.

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INFO REC'D JUST PRIOR PREPARATION INSTANT  
DAYLET FROM WASHINGTON TERMINAL POLICE IS TO EFFECT ANOTHER  
TRAIN HAS BEEN SCHEDULED TO LEAVE NY TWO THIRTY PM AND ARRIVE  
D.C. SIX FORTY PM EDST VIA PENNSYLVANIA RR. SIZE FIFTY-EIGHT  
CARS CAPACITY 1260. THIS TRAIN INFO TELEPHONICALLY FURNISHED  
BUREAU. COMPLETE OBSERVATIONS AND CLOSE LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED.

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FBI, WASH FIELD

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6:30 PM<sup>2</sup>

DIRECTOR AND SAC NEW YORK (RM)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS - C.

DAYLET, SA'S WHO OBSERVED PA. CHARTERED TRAIN ARRIVED UNION STATION

APPROX ONE PM THIS DATE. UPON ARRIVAL MEETING OF DEMONSTRATORS HELD

AT UNION STATION WHEN THEY WERE FURNISHED WRITTEN INSTRUCTION SHEETS

DIRECTING THEM TO DIVIDE INTO SMALL GROUPS OF APPROX EIGHT PERSONS

EACH TO VISIT CONGRESSMEN ON THE HILL. THEY WERE TO HAVE CONGRESSMEN

(1) CALL THE AG (2) CALL THE PRESIDENT AND (3) ADVISE COMMITTEE HOW CONGRESSMEN FELT ABOUT ROSENBERG CASE AND CLEMENCY ANGLE. CONGRESSMEN'S

OPINIONS WERE TO BE WRITTEN ON REVERSE SIDE OF INSTRUCTION SHEET AND

RETURNED TO COMMITTEE LEADERS. THEY WERE THEN TO PROCEED NINTH AND

CONSTITUTION, N.W. FOR MEETING APPROX TWO THIRTY TO THREE PM. INSTRUCTED

TO DIRECT ALL INQUIRIES TO INSPIRATION HOUSE, D.C. HEADQUARTERS OF

COMMITTEE. BEFORE LEAVING UNION STATION DEMONSTRATORS PLACED VOLUME

OF PLACARDS ON TRUCK AND TOLD THAT THEY WOULD BE FURNISHED THESE

PLACARDS IN EVENT OF DEMONSTRATION AT WHITE HOUSE LATER TODAY. 1919

WERE ABOARD THE TRAIN ARRIVED APPROX ONE PM. SECRET SERVICE ADVISED

THAT SECOND TRAIN LEFT NYC TWO THIRTY PM DUE TO ARRIVED D.C. APPROX

SIX FORTY PM WITH 2540 ABOARD. ALL TIMES EDST. AT APPROX FOUR PM

SUPREME COURT WENT INTO CONFERENCE AFTER HEARING ARGUMENTS BEFORE

THEM. OBSERVATIONS AND CLOSE LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED AND BUREAU

BEING TELEPHONICALLY FURNISHED WITH PERTINENT INFO AS REC'D.

SPP:JAN  
100-25476  
cc: 100-4218

AIR TEL

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9:30 P.M.

DIRECTOR AND SAC NEW YORK (RM)

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE,  
IS - C. DAYLET. FOLLOWING IS CHRONOLOGY OF IMPORTANT DEVELOP-  
MENTS AT WASHINGTON, D. C., SINCE SUBMISSION OF EARLIER DAYLET  
THIS DATE. AT 4:45 P.M., APPROXIMATELY 2000 DEMONSTRATORS AT  
9TH AND CONSTITUTION, N. W. ANNOUNCEMENT MADE AT 4:30 P.M.,  
TO EFFECT ANOTHER TRAIN WOULD ARRIVE 6:00 P.M., WITH ADDITIONAL  
2000 DEMONSTRATORS AND THAT ALL RETURN TRAINS BEING HELD UNTIL  
MIDNIGHT. PEOPLE ASK TO REMAIN UNTIL MIDNIGHT UNLESS ADVISED  
TO CONTRARY. 6:08 P.M., ANNOUNCEMENT MADE TO MALL GATHERING  
THAT NEW YORK TRAIN DELAYED UNTIL 6:25 P.M., AND INDIVIDUALS  
ARRIVING THERE WOULD GO DIRECTLY TO WHITE HOUSE. MALL GATHERING  
TOLD TO IMMEDIATELY GO TO WHITE HOUSE AND SET UP PICKET LINE.

6:35 P.M., [REDACTED]

6:45 P.M.

ADDITIONAL 500 DEMONSTRATORS ARRIVE UNION STATION VIA PENNSYLVANIA  
RAILROAD AND IMMEDIATELY MOVED ON TO WHITE HOUSE TO AUGMENT PICKET  
LINE THERE. 6:50 P.M. LAST OF MALL GROUP DEPARTED THAT AREA FOR  
WHITE HOUSE. 7:00 P.M. WASHINGTON TERMINAL POLICE ADVISED TOTAL  
OF APPROXIMATELY 2503 INDIVIDUALS HAD ARRIVED TODAY. THIS NUMBER

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INCLUDED TRAIN ARRIVAL AT APPROXIMATELY 1:00 P.M., AND GROUP ARRIVING 6:45 P.M. NO OTHER GROUPS EXPECTED. MRS. AARON SCHNEIDER MADE ARRANGEMENTS FOR GROUP TO DEPART FROM WASHINGTON, D. C., ON TWO TRAINS LEAVING 12:00 MIDNIGHT AND 12:10 A. M., 6/19/53. 7:00 P.M., PICKET LINE AT WHITE HOUSE IN TWO PARTS, ONE EXTENDING FROM WEST EXECUTIVE DRIVE WESTWARD ON PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE TO 17TH AND SOUTH TO STATE PLACE. OTHER GROUP PICKETING DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF WHITE HOUSE ON PA AVE. FOUR COUNTER PICKETS OPERATING. 7:08 P.M., [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] ADVISED THAT HOUSING AND MONETARY ARE BIGGEST PROBLEMS FACING COMMITTEE. ODD FELLOWS HALL ENGAGED FROM 8:30 TO 11:00 P.M., AS HEADQUARTERS FOR PEOPLE TO ASSEMBLE PRIOR TO BEING SENT TO PLACES FOR THE NIGHT. COMMITTEE FINDING IT NECESSARY TO FURNISH FUNDS FOR MANY BEING ENCOURAGED TO STAY OVERNIGHT. 8:40 P.M., [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

8:00 P.M., PICKETING OF WHITE HOUSE NOW IN THREE PARTS. ONE GROUP DIRECTLY IN FRONT OF WHITE HOUSE ON PENNSYLVANIA AVE, SECOND GROUP AROUND PARTS OF OLD STATE DEPARTMENT BUILDING, THIRD GROUP SURROUNDING TREASURY BUILDING. ALL TIMES ABOVE

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EDST AND ALL OBSERVATIONS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, BY SAS WFO.  
PORTIONS ABOVE FURNISHED TO BUREAU TELEPHONICALLY AS RECEIVED,  
AND WFO WILL CONTINUE THIS PLAN OF COMMUNICATION WITH BUREAU.  
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ELIMINATED APPROXIMATELY ONE TWENTY-FIVE AND ONE FIFT-SEVEN IN THIS EDITION.

THE LOS ANGELES DAILY NEWS PUBLISHING CO., 2000 BROADWAY AND MARKET STREETS IN LOS ANGELES.

PERSOES PARTICIPATED IN DEMONSTRATION. PARTICIPANTS CARRIED PLACARDS ADVANCING

THE CAUSE OF SILENCE IN THE CHURCHES. PART II IS TAKEN.

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FIFTY. FOR BUREAU INFO, [REDACTED] RELIABLE SL SECURITY INFORMANT PERSONNEL

ADVISED NINE AM THIS DATE THE SL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG PROPERTY

CASE [REDACTED] PLACARD DEMONSTRATION AT FEDERAL BUILDING, TWELFTH AND

MARSHAL, BLDG IN BEHALF OF ROSENBERGS ELEVEN AM THROUGH ONE PM, DISTANT.

SL WILL ATTEMPT TO IDENTIFY PERSONS PARTICIPATING IN DEMONSTRATION.

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NJ COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS. NJ-C. DAYLET.

SOURCES INDICATE THAT MANY INDIVIDUALS ASSOCIATED WITH THE NJ CP PARTICIPATED  
IN A CLEMENCY MARCH IN NEWARK, NJ, ON EVENING OF JUNE 17, 1953.

CAPTION "MARCHERS ASK A-SPY MERCY" APPEARED ON THE FRONT PAGE, NEWARK STAR  
LEDGER THIS MORNING, INDICATING THAT APPROXIMATELY 300 VOLUNTEERS OF THE NJ  
COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS, CARRYING PLACARDS URGING MERCY  
FOR THE CONVICTED ATOM SPYS, LAST NIGHT PARADED TWO-HY-TWO UP AND DOWN  
BROAD STREET, NEWARK, NJ. THE MARCH COVERED MORE THAN THIRTY BLOCKS.  
MARCHERS, ACCORDING TO THE ARTICLE, MET WITH CONSIDERABLE VERBAL OPPOSITION  
BUT ONLY ONE ATTEMPT, HAVING ACTUAL INTERFERENCE WAS REPORTED. THE INCIDENT  
OCCURRED AT BROAD AND BRADFORD STREETS WHEN AN UNIDENTIFIED MAN ATTEMPTED  
TO GRAB A PLACARD FROM A YOUNG WOMAN. THIS PLACARD PROCLAIMED "THE EVIDENCE  
PROVES THE CHIEF WITNESS AGAINST THE ROSENBERGS LIED." THE ARTICLE  
INDICATED THAT THE DEMONSTRATION FOLLOWED A MEETING HELD AT THE UNION HALL  
OF INTERNATIONAL FUR AND LEATHER WORKERS UNION, 1011 BROAD ST. MR. LEONARD  
YUSHNET OF IRVINGTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE, REPORTED THAT 212 PERSONS  
ATTENDED THE MEETING. ESTABLISHED SOURCES INDICATE THAT MANY NJ CP LEADERS  
AND PARTY SYMPATHIZERS WENT TO WASHINGTON FOR THE CLEMENCY VITIL BY TRAIN  
ON THE MORNING AND AFTERNOON OF JUNE 18, 1953. AMONG THE LEADERS, ACCORDING

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TO SOURCES, WERE ESTHER EUGLE LISS, FORMER NJ STATE CP OFFICE SECRETARY;  
JANET BROWN, WIFE OF ARTHUR BROWN, FORMER MIDDLESEX COUNTY CP ORGANIZER;  
AND ANITA PRICE ROBERTS, WHO IS ACTIVE IN THE NJ CP ~~AND PROPOSED APPARATUS~~  
AND A LEADER IN THE NJ COMMITTEE FOR PEACEFUL ALTERNATIVES.

HOTLINE

Att: L. Boardman  
Special Agent in charge  
F.B.I. N.Y. N.Y.

151 No. Oxford Walk, Apt 4-  
June 18, 1953 c/o Jacobs

Dear Mr Boardman:

I am sending you this material distributed at Nostrand  
Fulton St's Brooklyn, N.Y. on June 16, 1953 in the evening and up to  
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out. This I believe may help you in further future investigations  
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very truly yours

*Hendel Barrow*  
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290 Broadway  
New York 7, New York

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Mr. Vincent O'Connell  
Director, Chamber of Commerce  
Long Beach, New York

Dear Mr. O'Connell:

I wish to thank you for making available to this office enclosures received by you through the mail. You may be assured this matter will receive appropriate attention.

Very truly yours,

  
LELAND V. BOARDMAN  
Special Agent in Charge

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG  
CASE, IS-C. DAYLET. AT 11:01 PM 6/18 LAST, MAJORITY  
OF PICKETS LEFT WHITE HOUSE AND BOARDED TWO TRAINS FOR  
NYC VIA PA. RAILROAD DEPARTING D.C. 12 MIDNIGHT AND  
12:10 AM 6/19/53 EDST. TERMINAL POLICE ADVISED 2143  
ABOARD THESE TWO TRAINS WHICH IS APPROX. 350 LESS THAN  
NUMBER WHICH ARRIVED ON CHARTERED TRAINS 6/18. AARON  
SCHNEIDER, FUNCTIONARY CAPTIONED COMMITTEE, ADVISED DEPUTY  
CHIEF WALDRODT, MPD LATE EVENING 6/18 PLANS OF COMMITTEE  
WERE FOR AROUND THE CLOCK VIGIL AT WHITE HOUSE. DID NOT  
ANTICIPATE MORE THAN FIFTY AT ANY TIME. AS OF 11 PM  
6/18 COMMITTEE HAD NO PLANS FOR ANY CHARTERED TRAINS TO  
ARRIVE D.C. 6/19. THROUGHOUT EVENING 6/18 SAS, WPO  
OBSERVED PICKETING TO BE VERY ORDERLY AND IN THREE PARTS.

1. CIRCLING TREASURY BUILDING AT ALL TIMES. 2. IN FRONT  
OF WHITE HOUSE ON PA. AVE. AT ALL TIMES. 3. INTERMITTENTLY  
IN FRONT OF OLD STATE BUILDING ON PA. AVE. AND ALONG SIDE  
BANK ON 17TH ST. COUNTER PICKETS VARIED IN NUMBER FROM  
5 TO 20, AT 11 PM. THEY CONTINUED TO BE RATHER VOLUBLE

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DIRECTING COMMENTS NOT AT DEMONSTRATORS BUT RATHER TO BYSTANDERS URGING LATTER TO JOIN THEM ( COUNTER PICKETS ).  
NO LEAFLET DISTRIBUTION. AT 7:30 PM INSTANT DATE 25 TO 30 PICKETS AT WHITE HOUSE.

LEARNED THAT AN UNNAMED ORTHODOX JEWISH ORGANIZATION OR COUNCIL IN NYC EXPRESSED ITSELF 6/18 FOR CLEMENCY OF ROSENBERGS.

[REDACTED] AT 10:40 AM THIS DATE

SECRET SERVICE ADVISED APPROXIMATELY 200 IN PICKET LINE

AND COMMITTEE DID NOT PLAN ANYTHING UNTIL SUPREME COURT RECONVENED. ON 6/18 COMMITTEE REQUESTED EVERY DEMONSTRATOR THAT HAD FOUR DOLLARS TO REMAIN IN D.C. EMILY PLINKE WAS TO MEET RETURNING TRAINS IN NYC AND ADVISE THOSE PEOPLE OF PLANS FOR 6/19. MRS. SOPHIE ROSENFELD REMAINS IN D.C. AND COMMITTEE PLANS TO SEE HER AS LAST RESORT TO MAKE PERSONAL APPEAL TO PRESIDENT. EISENHOWER HAS ADVISED THAT HE WILL NOT SEE HER AND ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO EXCLUDE HER FROM WHITE HOUSE GROUNDS. OBSERVATION AND CLOSE LIAISON BEING MAINTAINED AND BUREAU BEING CURRENTLY TELEPHONICALLY ADVISED OF ALL PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS BASED ON DAILEY.  
BY WFO ADVERT TO BUREAU JUNE FORTY LAST.

RELIABILITY, ORALLY ADVISED BY RUSSELL H. GOTTSCHE ON JUNE NINETEEN, EIGHTY-EIGHT  
FIFTY SEVEN.

**ROSENBERGS ELECTROCUTED** [REDACTED] PROGRESSIVE ORGANIZATIONS IN WESTERN  
PENNSYLVANIA AREA WILL ATTEMPT TO SEND TWO BURNED PEOPLE TO PARTICIPATE IN  
**NATIONAL MASS PROTESTATION AT ROSENBERG FUNERAL IN NEW YORK CITY.**

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Transmit the following Teletype message to:

BUREAU.....URGENT

DAYLET

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE FOR THE ROSENBERGS, INC.

[REDACTED] ADVISED ROSENBERG COMMITTEE PLANNING TO  
ORGANIZE MONSTER RALLY FOR ~~7:00~~ PM THIS EVENING AT UNION SQUARE, NYC,  
IN BEHALF OF ROSENBERGS. COMMITTEE SOLICITING UNIONS, JEWISH ORGANIZATIONS,  
TO PARTICIPATE. INFORMANT ENDEAVORING TO SECURE FURTHER DETAILS. NYCPD  
ADVISED. ANY ADDITIONAL INFO WILL BE FORWARDED BUREAU. INFORMANT STATED  
CIVIL RIGHTS CONGRESS TRYING TO GET ORTHODOX RABBINICAL ORGANIZATION AND OTHER  
CHURCH GROUPS TO JOIN RALLY AND INSIST EXECUTION NOT BE HELD INSTANT EVENING  
ON BASIS OF IT BEING SABBATH. ESTIMATED CROWD BY COMMITTEE TO BE TEN THOUSAND.

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DIRECTOR FBI AND SAC NEW YORK .....URGENT  
NEW JERSEY COMMITTEE FOR CLEMENCY FOR THE ROSENBERGS, IS-C. DAYLET.  
ALL ESTABLISHED SOURCES FURNISHING INFORMATION INDICATED THAT ALL-OUT  
EFFORT BEING MADE TO HAVE AVAILABLE NJ INDIVIDUALS PARTICIPATE IN A  
RALLY FOR THE ROSENBERGS SCHEDULED FOR NINE P. M., UNION SQUARE, NYC,  
TONIGHT.

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NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS DASH C. DAILEY, JR.  
FOLLOWING CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS SINCE SUBMISSION BY DAILEY ELEVEN A.M. INSTANT  
DATE. ALL TIMES EAST AND ALL OBSERVATIONS BY SAS WFO UNLESS OTHERWISE  
INDICATED. 12:37 P.M. APPROXIMATELY 350 PICKETS AT WHITE HOUSE. LINE  
INCREASING. 1:40 P.M. SECRET SERVICE ADVISED COMMITTEE IN NEW YORK HAD  
MADE ARRANGEMENTS TO CHARTER TRAINS ON ONE HOUR'S NOTICE. MERTZ-U-DRIVE  
IT-TRUCK UNLOADED APPROXIMATELY TWO HUNDRED PICKET SIGNS AT WHITE HOUSE.  
WFO 776-S4 ADVISED THAT AT 9:53 A.M. CARL MARZANI MADE LD CALL TO FEMALE  
QUOTE TEDDY END QUOTE IN BOSTON. MARZANI INQUIRED IF TEDDY WAS COMING  
DOWN TODAY AND SHE DID NOT THINK SO. TEDDY STATED THERE IS A POSSIBILITY  
THEY WILL SEND SOMEONE DOWN TODAY. TEDDY STATED "WE HAD A THING YESTERDAY,  
IT HAD A LOT OF ELEMENTS OF VIOLENCE." TEDDY INDICATED SHE WOULD SEND A  
"CLIP" ON IT. IN FURTHER REFERENCE TO THE "THING" TEDDY STATED "AND I  
DON'T THINK WE WILL HAVE ANY TODAY BECAUSE IT IS VERY RISKY AND FOOLISH,  
IT IS WITHOUT VERY MUCH PURPOSE UP HERE." TEDDY STATED SHE SUGGESTED  
RAISING MONEY AND SENDING PEOPLE AND SHE WAS PLANNING TO CALL MARZANI IN  
EVERY THEY DO SEND SOMEBODY. SIGNIFICANCE AND OTHER DETAILS OF ABOVE  
CONVERSATION UNKNOWN TO WFO. APPROXIMATELY 1:45 P.M. OFFICE OF CAPITOL  
POLICE ADVISED THEY HAD HEARD RADIO BROADCAST TO EFFECT 22,000 DEMONSTRATORS  
WOULD COME TO DC TODAY. SUBSEQUENTLY METROPOLITAN PD ADVISED THEY HAD  
CONTACTED COMMITTEE FUNCTIONARY SCHLEIDER IN NEW YORK AND THAT NO TRAINS

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WERE SCHEDULED TO LEAVE NEW YORK TODAY AND THAT THE COMMITTEE WAS IN FINANCIAL STRAITS. 2:15 P.M.

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PRESS CONFERENCE HELD AT PICKET LINE AND NEWS RELEASE READ BY JOSEPH BRAININ TO FOLLOWING EFFECT. OPINIONS OF BLACK, BOTULAS, AND FRANKFURTER EXPRESSES DOUBTS IN CASE. THERE IS NOTHING COMMITTEE CAN DO NOW BUT TO ASK SPIRITUAL LEADERS OF CATHOLIC, PROTESTANT, AND JEWISH FAITHS AND POLITICAL LEADERS FRANCE, ITALY, AND GREAT BRITAIN TO PLEAD FOR CLEMENCY. COMMITTEE SENT TELEGRAM TO KINGMANER REQUESTING AUDIENCE FOR COMMITTEE'S OFFICERS BUT SAME WAS REFUSED. SENTENCE GIVEN ROCKEFELLERS IN CONTRAST TO THOSE METED OUT TO AKBIS SADLY, TOKIO ROSE, AND JOHN PROVOCO CANNOT BE EXPLAINED TO WORLD. THE ELECTRIC CHAIR IS NOT THE ANSWER. MELVIN SOHILL PRESENT ABOVE CONFERENCE AND MADE PLEA THAT ROCKEFELLERS ARE INNOCENT. PICKET LINE AT 3:15 P.M. APPROXIMATELY 400. 3:15 P.M.

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OBSERVATIONS AND CLOSE LIAISON ARE MAINTAINED AND BUREAU BEING CORRECTLY ADVISED TELEPHONICALLY OF ALL PERTINENT DEVELOPMENTS.

BERNARD J. ROSE  
1150 PARK AVENUE  
NEW YORK 28, N. Y.

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Guttmann

Confirming my conversation  
with Mr. MacJie enclosed  
said letter recd by me today.  
You will note the writing  
on back of Circular. What  
does it mean to me? A  
threat! Please give  
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11:00 PM

NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS-C, BRIEFLY

THE FOLLOWING IS CHRONOLOGY OF EVENTS SINCE START EACH LAST DAY. 8:03 PM  
PICKET LINE STILL OPERATING WITH ABOUT 400 PARTICIPATING. 8:04 PM COUPLED PICKETS.

8:25 PM PICKETS STILL MARCHING. JOSEPH BRAUER, DR. BOTWINBERG AND HENRY  
BOSCH ALSO IN PICKET LINE. FOLLOWING LOCAL PEOPLE OBSERVED ALL OF THEM  
HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED AS CP MEMBERS. JOHN AND DORIS KUDER, JOSEPH WEINER,  
GEORGE FARRS, ARE YALOM AND REBECCA STABLER. 8:46 PM PICKET LINE STOPPED  
AND ETIENNE BOSCH READ PREPARED SPEECH TO WHICH PRESENT INCLUDED NEWSPAPER  
REPORTERS. BOSCH IN BRIEF STATED "YOU WILL REGRET HAVING PUT THESE LEADERS  
TO DEATH. 8:51 PM PICKET LINE BREAKS AND PARTICIPANTS WALKING DOWN PENNSYLVANIA  
STREET TOWARD PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE OR CONSTITUTION AVENUE. ALL ABOVE INFO  
OBTAINED BY AGENTS WFO. 8:55 PM [REDACTED] ADVISED THERE WAS NO DEMONSTRATION  
BY PICKETS; THAT NEWS OF MR. ROSENBERG'S DEATH WAS RECEIVED BY PICKETS AT  
8:50 PM THROUGH CAR RADIO. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] INFORMANT IDENTIFIED MEMBERS OF MEMBERS IN LINE.  
PICKETERS ORDERED TO NOT SMOKE OR SULK FOR PERIOD ALMOST ONE HOUR WHEN  
ADVISED EXECUTION COMPLETED. [REDACTED] LETTER

BY ETIENNE BOSCH STATED WAS DELIVERED TO WHITE HOUSE. (THIS MAY BE IN ERROR SINCE  
PREVIOUS INFORMATION WAS TO NOTIFY LETTER WAS BY SOPHIE BOSCH.) INFORMANT  
NOTED CONSIDERABLY ANXIETY DEMONSTRATED BY DRAFTSMEN. SHORTLY AFTER THIS

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PICKETTERS STOPPED MARCHING AND SILENTLY FACED WHITE HOUSE WITH PLACARDS.  
INFO HIGH. INFO KEY UNABLE TO HEAR SPEECH IN CENTER OF CROWD AS HE APPROX-  
IMATELY ONE-HALF BLOCK AWAY. CROWD THEN DISBURSED TO WALK TO 9TH STREET AND  
CONSTITUTION AVENUE WHERE BUSES WAITED. OUT-OF-TOWERS TO LEAVE BY TRAIN  
AND BUS. 10:01 PM AGENTS NFO OBSERVED CROWD OF ABOUT 400 AT 9 AND CONSTITUTION  
AVENUE. SOLE OF DEMONSTRATORS BOARDED FOUR OR FIVE CHARTERED TELLFAIS BUSES  
BOARDED FOR NEW YORK. 37 PASSENGERS PER BUS. REMAINDER OF CROWD TOOK CARS TO  
UNION STATION. MARTIN LUTHER KING PRESENT AT 9TH AND CONSTITUTION AVENUE AND  
DESIRED TO MAKE SPEECH BUT WAS PREVENTED BY OFFICERS, N.P.D.

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N.J. COMMITTEE FOR CLARITY FOR THE ROSENBERGS, JESUS C. DALETT. CONFIDENTIAL  
INFORMANTS [REDACTED] AND [REDACTED] HAVE REPORTED THAT APPROXIMATELY [REDACTED]  
20 PEOPLE ACTIVE IN THE N.J. CP AND CP FRONT AFFAIRS ATTENDED THE CLARITY  
BALLY HELD UNION SQUARE, NYC, JUNE 29, 1953. ACCORDING TO [REDACTED] H.  
WANDEL, WHO HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN CP AFFAIRS, ORGANIZED A ROSENBERG MEMORIAL  
MEETING HELD NEWARK, N.J., SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 29, 1953. 200 PEOPLE ATTENDED  
THIS AFFAIR. MANY OF THOSE OBSERVED HAVE BEEN REPORTED AS BEING ACTIVE  
IN N.J. CP AFFAIRS.

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TO : SAC  
FROM : SA J. J. FEESLEY

DATE: June 22, 1953

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE  
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( ) CSNY 425, of known reliability, made available to the New York Office, evidence concerning the above-captioned subject, obtained from the building located at 80 Fifth Avenue, New York City. This building is occupied by National Headquarters of the IWO.

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Date information received June 16, 1953

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SA J. J. FEESLEY AND SE P. G. MITCHELL

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## NOBEL PRIZE WINNER HAROLD UREY SAYS GREENGLASS PERJURED SELF ASKS INTERVIEW WITH EISENHOWER

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NEW YORK, N.Y., JUNE 12, 1953 -- "Dr. Harold Urey's statement that David Greenglass, chief witness against the Rosenbergs, ~~was a likely witness~~ reveals finally that the atom bomb secret, reveals finally that the prosecution did not call the scientist as a witness because he would have exploded the case against the Rosenbergs," the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, said today. Dr. Urey had been listed as a witness by the prosecution, but was mysteriously withdrawn without explanation.

"Dr. Urey's request to see the President has the support of all fair-minded persons who feel that the execution of the Rosenbergs in the face of Greenglass' proven perjury is unthinkable," the Committee added. It urged that letters be sent to the President asking that he grant an interview to the world's leading physicist.

Dr. Urey's statement, which follows in full, was made public at a press conference today in Washington, D.C. by Emanuel Bloch, defense attorney for Ethel and Julius Rosenberg.

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"The case against the Rosenbergs outrages logic and justice. It depends on the testimony of Greenglass and his wife, both confessed spies and alleged accomplices of the Rosenbergs. Greenglass is supposed to have revealed to the Russians the 'secret' of the atomic bomb. Though the information supposed to have been transmitted could have been important a man of Greenglass' capacity is wholly incapable of transmitting the physics, chemistry and mathematics of the atomic bomb to anyone. He and his wife were the only ones who pretended to connect the Rosenbergs with atomic espionage. New evidence makes even more plain what was plain enough before, that the prosecution's case has no logic in it, and that it depends upon the blowing up of patently perjured testimony.

"I tried to see the Attorney General this past week but was unable to secure an appointment. On behalf of all those interested in the defense I ask to be allowed to present my understanding of the case to you, Mr. President."

(signed) HAROLD UREY

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## OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC  
 FROM : SA E. K. DEANE

DATE: June 22, 1953

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE  
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ROUND-THE-CLOCK VIGIL MAINTAINED

AFTER 13,000 GATHER AT WHITE HOUSE

IN APPEAL FOR ROSENBERG CLEMENCY

WASHINGTON, June 14--A 24-hour round-the-clock White House vigil was under way tonight after 13,000 men, women and children from throughout the United States journeyed here to gather before the White House in an appeal to President Eisenhower for clemency for Julius and Ethel Rosenberg.

The 13,000, a total arrived at by newsmen, constituted what was believed to be the largest gathering of this kind that Washington had ever seen.

The high point of the appeal came when Michael and Debbie Rosenberg, the children of the couple who are condemned to die on their 36th wedding anniversary this Thursday night, arrived at the White House with their grandmother, Mrs. Sophie Rosenberg, who is the mother of Julius.

Rabbi Abraham Cronbach of Cincinnati, eminent biblical scholar, offered a brief prayer for clemency. Then Michael, who is ten years old, walked to a White House gate with his six-year old brother and left a letter for President Eisenhower.

The letter, the second one that the youngster has written to the President said: "I hope you got my letter that I sent because it is a letter about not let anything happen to my mommy and daddy."

The gathering then proceeded together from the White House to the lawn at Constitution Ave. and 9th Street, where a prayer meeting for clemency was held.

Prayers were offered by the Rev. Harold Williamson of New York, the Rev. Amos Murphy of Boston, and Rabbi Cronbach.

Mrs. Rosenberg pleaded with the thousands, many of whom were weeping openly, not to "let my son and his sweet wife go to the electric chair."

David Alman, executive secretary of the National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case, cited the

rapidly growing work sentiment for clemency, and declared that "The Rosenbergs can be saved."

The number of persons who poured into the city to ask clemency was far above what anyone had expected. Entire families came by car, bus, train and plane.

Among the states represented were Michigan, Wisconsin, Connecticut, North Carolina, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Florida, New Jersey, Maryland, Virginia, Texas, Massachusetts, Washington, Colorado, Ohio, California, Indiana, Oregon and many more. A delegation of mothers from Canada also joined in the appeal.

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg case had only arranged for one clemency train from Jersey City, N.J. But there was such a crowd at the station that another train had to be added, and then a third followed.

When the trains arrived at Union Station they were greeted by a throng of persons from other parts of the country who had already arrived.

There were thousands of signs carried in the group, all of them urging clemency for the Rosenbergs, and pointing out the many reasons why millions in this country and abroad have demanded that the parents be spared.

The Committee said in a statement that "The representation in Washington is only a tiny fraction of the tremendous number of petitioners."

"The Committee fears that, as in the past, the numbers and character of the request for clemency may be withheld from the President, and feels that this demonstration is an effective means of letting him know what is going on."

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## NOTE TO BOOK EDITORS:

"THE DEATH HOUSE LETTERS OF ETHEL AND JULIUS ROSENBERG comes off the press on June 11, just one week before scheduled execution on June 18th, which is their wedding anniversary.

We ask you to read and review DEATH HOUSE LETTERS a documentary of the young couple, whose case, in the space of three years, has become known to the whole world. Whether you believe them guilty, whether you believe their plea of innocence, whether you have doubts, or whether you think their sentence just or unjust, we feel sure you will find this book a unique record of the thoughts, emotions and pain of parents who have lived with death for three years.

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case is distributing the book in the United States for the Jero Publishing Co., Inc. European publishing houses are bringing the book out in several languages abroad, and already Figaro has bought the serial rights in France. Other leading European publishers are negotiating similar rights for England, Holland, Italy, and Scandinavian countries.

All profits from sales of the book, wherever published, will go into a trust fund for the care of the Rosenberg children, Michael, 10, and Robbie, 6. The book sells for \$1.00.

In view of the imminent execution date set for the Rosenbergs, the usual time given for reviews in advance of actual publication is being skipped. We hope that you will read DEATH HOUSE LETTERS right away and schedule your review as quickly as possible.  
\*Permission is granted by the Jero Publishing Co. to quote from the book for review purposes. Please call us for any additional information you may need.

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GATHERING OF THOUSANDS FROM  
THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY AT WHITE HOUSE  
TO START 24-HOUR ROSENBERG CLEMENCY VIGIL

Washington, June 12--The gathering of thousands of men, women and children from throughout the United States in front of the White House on Sunday (June 14) at 2 p.m. to appeal to President Eisenhower to grant clemency to Ethel and Julius Rosenberg will start a 24-hour daily White House vigil.

The National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case announced the vigil as demands mounted throughout the country and abroad for President Eisenhower to grant clemency.

Sunday's gathering, which will reflect the millions of clemency letters and telegrams President Eisenhower has received from Americans and the millions more from abroad, will include persons from virtually every major city in the United States. The Committee ~~said that the gathering was certain to be much larger than any of~~ the previous Rosenberg gatherings at the White House.

Families are coming from Los Angeles, San Francisco, Fort Lauderdale, St. Louis, Chicago, Detroit, Milwaukee, South Bend, Pittsburgh, Dallas, Seattle, Denver, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Newark, New York, Buffalo, Albany, Boston and many more.

A special Eastern Boardboard Clemency train will leave Jersey City, N.J., at 8:30 a.m. (Daylight Time), on the B. & O. Railroad. The train will start with persons from New England and the New York City area and will stop along the way for others on the route to Washington. It will arrive at Union Station at 12:50 p.m.

The national headquarters of the Committee to Secure Justice at 1030 Sixth Ave., N.Y., reported a heavy demand for reservations on the Clemency Train and an crush of telegrams from persons throughout the country announcing their plans to participate.

The date the Rosenbergs are scheduled to die, Thursday, June 18, is their 14th wedding anniversary. Their execution would leave orphaned their two children, Michael, 10, who has written the President asking that his parents be spared, and his brother Robbie, 6.

## OFFICE MEMORANDUM - UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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FROM : SA J. J. FEEHELEY

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290 Broadway  
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June 22, 1953

Mr. Harold Barrow  
151 No. Oxford Walk, Apt. 4-F  
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Barrow:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 18, 1953, with enclosure.

I wish to thank you for again communicating with this office. The comments set forth in your letter have been appropriately noted.

Very truly yours,

  
LELAND V. BOARDMAN  
Special Agent in Charge

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DIRECTOR AND SAC... URGENT.

COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE IN THE ROSENBERG CASE, IS - C. DAYLET.

PH EIGHTYTWO-S ADVISED LAST NIGHT THAT NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF  
CAPTIONED ORGANIZATION WILL MEET TONIGHT AT EIGHT THIRTY PM AT  
HOME OF DAVID ALMAN, TWENTY MONROE ST., NYC. JEAN FRANTJIS,  
EXECUTIVE SEC. PH CHAPTER OF CAPTIONED ORGANIZATION, PLANS TO BE  
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (100-2545)

DATE: May 29, 1953

FROM : Director, FBI (100-7254)

SUBJECT: COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C  
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

Reurlet dated May 15, 1953, eantioned "Veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade, Inc., Internal Security - C."

The problems set forth in relet have been considered by the Bureau and the following procedure is being authorized for the New York Office only.

In connection with your attempts to develop available witnesses for proceedings against Communist front organizations under the Internal Security Act of 1950, requests for authority to interview security subjects without the submission of an up-to-date report must be submitted on an individual basis for Bureau approval. In addition to the provisions set forth in Section 87-C of the Manual of Instructions, your memoranda requesting authority for interviews should contain the results of a current file review setting forth any known activities of the subject subsequent to the submission of your last report.

Your initial interview with a subject must be strictly confined to the organization, or organizations, in question. In the event, however, during the course of an interview the subject reveals himself to be cooperative, your field of questioning may be broadened to include matters other than the organization or organizations in question.

The results of your interviews should be promptly furnished to the Bureau under the appropriate case caption. This information should also be channelized to the appropriate case files in your office in order that the results of the interviews may be reported in connection with the interviewee's Security Matter case.

Any further action taken by you with regard to re-contact with a security subject must be strictly in accordance with existing Bureau instructions. Memoranda submitted by your office requesting authority to interview security subjects must be on a selective basis and must contain information indicating the security subject will be a desirable witness if he cooperates.

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As requested in relet, and in the event a current file review in your office contains no information which would make such action inadvisable, you may consider instant letter as authority to interview Oscar Henry Hunter regarding the Veterans of the Abraham Lincoln Brigade, Inc.

## OFFICE MEMORANDUM

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York  
FROM : THORNTON M. WOOD, SA (100-112999)  
SUBJECT: COMMUNIST FRONT ORGANIZATIONS  
PROSECUTIVE SUMMARY REPORTS  
INTERNAL SECURITY ACT OF 1950

DATE: 6/23/53

Reference is made to Bulet 5/29/53, captioned as above.

Rebulet sets out procedure to be followed in requesting interviews of security subjects in efforts to develop available witnesses for proceedings against Communist Front Organizations under the ISA of 1950.

As the instructions contained in relet pertain to all cases which are under investigation under the provisions of the Internal Security Act of 1950, a mimeograph copy of rebulet is being disseminated, together with a copy of this memorandum, to the appropriate case files. It is to be noted that instructions in rebulet pertain only to the New York Office.

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Dear Sir:

I received the enclosed. I don't know the source, but maybe  
some one would be interested.

Very truly yours,

(signed) Clarence Harney

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SAMUEL LEFKOWITZ, Commander

June 23, 1953

Federal Bureau of Investigation  
 U.S. Court House  
 Foley Square  
 New York, New York

Gentlemen:

I am forwarding the enclosed matter which was mistakenly sent to an office of the [redacted]

The letter was addressed to "Dave Sonnenschein, Tebro Company, 35 Delancy Street, New York City, New York".

The letter was mistakenly opened in this office and not returned to the Post Office. I would appreciate your treating this matter on a confidential basis.

Very truly yours,

*Additional  
information  
is requested*

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Mr. J. A. Harrington  
Enclosed please find my  
prints & negative. I took at  
a recent "Save the Roanoke"  
Communist inspired rally  
in Rockaway Beach, Long  
Island, New York. The Com-  
munist people were active in the rally  
as you can see in the photographs.  
I had to give one of the Red  
print to good one of the Red  
for this reason but I was  
threatened by their people not  
to take pictures of them. I do  
not have a tape picture of them. I do  
not have a tape record of them.  
I had no a take them out  
last night. I filed an airmail  
100-10711-191

you these photopaper I remember  
something that should be of  
interest to you. I recall about  
6 years ago a friend & myself  
worked one summer putting  
up screens & storm windows to  
one of the houses we did  
was that of DR. RAVCHE A.  
DENTIST living on CORNAGA  
AVE. NEAR BCH 9th ST IN  
FAR ROCKAWAY while we were  
in the basement which incidently  
is outfitteed like an auditorium  
we noticed behind what seemed  
like a box all kinds of Communist  
literature maybe thousand of  
handbills etc. Plus stacks  
of cards which indicated donations  
to the Communist Party & gave  
membership in the Communist  
Party. Probably you know

about this already. On my part  
you don't I would appreciate  
your keeping this on record.  
Hoping that you can make  
some use of the pictures & I  
will continue to take more if  
these conditions permit & send  
them to you.

Sincerely yours

W.D.

290 Broadway  
New York 7, New York

June 23, 1953

Dear [REDACTED]

I am in receipt of your letter forwarding the pictures which you state you took at a recent rally of the Rosenberg Committee at Rockaway Beach, Long Island, New York.

It is most thoughtful of you to make these pictures available to our office and you may rest assured that they will be made a permanent record in this office as well as the other information which you furnished.

I want to thank you again for the trouble you went to in taking these pictures and making them available to this office.

Very truly yours,

  
LEELAND V. ROEHMLY  
Special Agent in Charge

100-107111

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## Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, New York (100-107111)

DATE: June 23, 1953

FROM : Director, FBI (100-387835)

SUBJECT: NATIONAL COMMITTEE TO SECURE JUSTICE  
IN THE ROSENBERG CASE  
INTERNAL SECURITY - C

There are enclosed for your information two Photostats of a letter dated 6/2/53 and signed by the Northern Westchester Chapter of the captioned organization.

The original copy of this letter was forwarded to the Bureau by Walter Winchell, who received it from a "resident" of Croton.

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